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Today

Man, His Days Are as Grass

The French Save Earth, Big Alma Mater Trouble in Jerusalem

—By Arthur Brisbane—

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REPORTERS, TRAVELING among ruins spread over the earth by the recent tornado, advise that many men and women are *praying*. They pray for strength to take care of those that are ill or ruined by the great storm, and for strength to rebuild their vanished homes.

Those that pray include probably many that had done little praying until the arrival of the tornado.

"As for man, his days are as grass: as a flower of the field, so he flourisheth.

"For the wind passeth over it, and it is gone; and the place thereof shall know it no more."

PARIS BANKERS are distressed because the French people, especially the peasants, hoard coins of gold and silver.

Laws were passed to control the gold supply, that the Bank of France might have a big gold reserve. But the French people still have two thousand million francs in gold and silver coins hidden away.

THAT DOES NOT PLEASE the bankers, and makes financing more difficult for the highly intelligent and efficient French government.

But that hoarding of precious metals should be a warning to speculators against TRYING TO KNOCK DOWN THE PRICE OF THE FRANC.

Whoever gambles on the belief that the French people will allow their currency to become worthless, doesn't know the French people or their history.

HARVARD WILL SPEND $12,000,000 to improve the study of agriculture. That's sensible.

English speaking nations study Latin and Greek. The Romans studied Greek. The Greek philosophers studied the Egyptian language and hieroglyphics. Millions are spent teaching many kinds of knowledge little used after the student leaves school.

It is about time to begin studying seriously Old Mother Earth, the original alma mater, from which we all spring and upon which we depend absolutely during life and to which we all return.

TODAY IN JERUSALEM the aged Lord Balfour will officiate at the opening and dedication of the new Jewish university.

Representatives of the Arabs, who outnumber the Jews ten to one in the Holy Land, hate Balfour for his leadership in restoring Jerusalem to the Jews. They proclaim a strike against Jerusalem, against Balfour, and will try to exclude him from the Christian holy places.

THE STRANGE THING, according to press agency dispatches, is that a group of orthodox Jews in Jerusalem, under the leadership of the Patriarch of Jerusalem, refuse to meet Lord Balfour, and will help the Arabs to exclude him from the Christian holy places if they can. It is hard to please everybody.

HOWEVER, the practical British Government has ordered sufficient British troops, including the Ninth Queen's Royal Lancers, now in Egypt, to be ready for emergencies.

A few machine guns and flying machines will enable Balfour to see the Christian holy places if he wants to. It would be interesting to get the real opinions of that sarcastic old gentleman. But he won't give them.

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MASTER BANDIT HELPS PICK JURORS FOR DEATH TRIAL

By BERT FORD.

Hartford, March 24.—Three young women will assist the State of Connecticut in its attempt to convict Gerald Chapman, alleged super-crook, whose trial on the charge of murdering Patrolman James J. Skelley in New Britain on October 12, 1924, began today before Judge Newell Jennings in Hartford County Superior Court.

The young women whose names stand out in a troop of prosecution witnesses include Miss Lillian Knell, seventeen-year-old waitress at Old Colony Inn in Meriden, who claims Chapman and Walter E. Sheean had dinner there on the evening before the murder.

Another is Miss Edith Larsen, clerk in Davideon & Levanthal's department store, who claims she saw Chapman tampering with a lock on the front door of the store on Saturday night preceding the slaying of Policeman Skelley, who interrupted a safe-breaking job in the department store early Sunday morning.

A third is Miss Alice M. Powers, Librarian from Cincinnati, who will identify books of aid to counterfeiters said to have been taken from the library by Chapman.

GET FIRST JUROR.

Two other women may aid the defence, the same two who testified on behalf of Chapman when he was tried in New York for the $2,460,000 Leonard street mail truck robbery. One of these is a Providence woman, a recent bride, who is alleged to have exchanged letters with Chapman while he was in custody in New York and at the Federal prison

SCENE OF FATAL R. I. BLAZE

Photo shows $200,000 Newport, R. I., City Hall while being swept by flames today. The beautiful structure was almost destroyed, only a shell remaining. Fire Captain John H. Malloy was killed when plunged into the flames by collapse of stairway. Picture shows fire at its height.

FIRE CAPTAIN DIES AS NEWPORT CITY HALL IS DESTROYED

Newport, R. I., March 24.—Captain John H. Malloy of Engine 1, was killed today during a fire that destroyed Newport's $200,000 City Hall. Another fireman, John F. Ronayne, was badly injured when the roof of the structure collapsed. He was so badly hurt that he was thought to be dead.

Two other firemen were believed to have been carried down into the flaming furnace inside the granite walls of the City Hall, but a later check of the fire fighters revealed all accounted for.

The third City Hall fire in three months, destroyed records of the school committee, board of health, the building inspector and recreation department.

Other records, however, including land records covering a period of more than two centuries, were saved and removed to a nearby school building.

Fire Captain Malloy went to his death at the height of the fire, when a stairway, from which he was directing the efforts of his men, collapsed and dropped him into the furnace.

Aiding the Newport fire department in its battle with the flames, were men and apparatus from Mid-

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$25,000 VERDICT FOR MRS. DENNISTOUN

London, March 24 (I.N.S.)—The jury in the suit of Mrs. Dorothy Dennistoun against her former husband, Colonel Ian Dennistoun, today awarded Mrs. Dennistoun damages in $25,000 in returning a verdict in her favor.

The jury found that Mrs. Dennistoun had loaned Colonel Dennistoun approximately $9,000. This was the sum Mrs. Dennistoun had sued for, alleging that she expended it for Dennistoun's club and other expenses prior to the divorce which he obtained from her to marry Lady Carnarvon.

In addition the jury held that Colonel Dennistoun had agreed to

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DEMPSEY DECLARED INELIGIBLE IN N. Y.

New York, March 24.—The New York State Athletic Commission today placed Heavyweight Champion Jack Dempsey and his manager, Jack Kearns, on the ineligible list in this State for their failure to reply satisfactorily to the commission's recent ultimatum that Dempsey accept a challenge from Harry Wills.

PRESIDENT TO COME BUNKER HILL DAY

Washington, March 24.—President Coolidge probably will time his visit to New England this Summer so as to permit him to attend the Bunker Hill anniversary celebration at Boston in June.

He has been invited also to the Lexington-Concord celebration and although he has not yet reached a final decision he expected to confer with Secretary Weeks and ascertain whether the latter can represent him at those ceremonies.

Mr. Coolidge also is considering an invitation to attend the anniversary celebration to be held at Cambridge, Mass., July 3, in commemoration of the date when George Washington took command of the Continental army.

The President also has on his desk an invitation to speak at the commencement exercises of Michigan University, but has not decided whether to accept.

COAL

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Effective March 23, 1925

Broken	$15.00	Chestnut	$15.50
Egg	15.25	Pea Coal	12.00
Stove	15.75	No. 1 Buckwheat	8.50

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SIX BUS COMPANIES GRANTED LICENSES

Springfield, March 24.—A victory for the interests backing motor bus and motor coach lines was seen today in the granting of licenses to operate twenty-four busses between this city, Worcester, Providence and Hartford to six bus companies. The Transportation Board of the City Council unanimously consented to the granting of the permits after months of study.

Fifteen of the new busses will be used in interstate traffic and nine in intrastate service.

In addition to the other permits the Union Motor Coach Service was granted a license to operate three busses between this city and New Haven.

36 FAMILIES FLEE FIRE IN SALEM; WOMAN SAVED

Salem, March 24.—Thirty-six families were driven to the street in scant attire today when smoke filled the exclusive old apartment house at Temple court and Lynde street. Fire, which was confined to the basement, caused damage estimated at $5,000.

Mrs. Louise C. Richardson, eighty-four years old, was carried from the building by Patrolmen Roy O'Neill and Lawrence Olsen. Occupants of the building were able to return to their apartments soon after the fire was extinguished.

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300 MILLION INCOME TAX SLASH PLANNED

By JOHN T. LAMBERT.

Washington, March 24 (Universal)—That the finances of the country will be in shape to permit another $300,000,000 slash in income taxes by the next session of Congress was estimated today by taxation experts at the Capitol and in the Treasury Department.

Plans are being formulated for a revival of the original Mellon bill, containing the surtax cut to 25 per cent., and additional reductions for the lower brackets in which will be included President Coolidge's ideas for abolition of inheritance and estate taxes.

The plan will provide the fourth slash in income taxes since the late President Harding began the reduction of post-war expenses and since President Coolidge launched his insistent economy-and-tax-cut policy.

About $800,000,000 in personal income taxes was estimated to have been saved by the abolition of the excess profit and reduction of surtaxes during the Harding administration.

Nearly $300,000,000 relief was contained in the twenty-five per cent. cut made in the taxes payable last year, and another $300,000,000 is saved in the taxes payable this year under the Simmons law, which finally was passed as a substitute for the Mellon plan.

It is estimated that even under the present law there will be a surplus of $100,000,000 in the Treasury and that sum, coupled with further reductions in the cost of government and an estimated increase of revenue receipts, will permit the next Congress to reduce income taxes by an additional $300,000,000.

COOLIDGE TO STAND BY T. F. WOODLOCK

Washington, March 24.—President Coolidge will offer a recess appointment to Thomas F. Woodlock, New York financial writer, as a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission, it was announced at the White House today.

Woodlock's nomination was twice transmitted to the Senate, but in neither instance was any action taken. If he accepted a recess appointment he would be obliged to serve on the commission during the Congressional recess without pay.

TEMPLE H. FAY & CO., BROKERS, SUSPEND

The curb brokerage house of Temple H. Fay & Co., No. 53 State street, the oldest curb house in State street, suspended business temporarily today for the benefit of its creditors.

On Thursday morning, it was announced, the concern will open for business again, prepared to pay those customers that wish, fifty per cent. in cash and fifty per cent. in short term notes, plus interest.

Those customers that insist, will be paid 100 per cent cash, however.

Albert Sutcliffe, of Newton Center, is president and treasurer of

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For Young or Old—Father John's Medicine makes new strength.—Advt.

BOY STEALING RIDE ON TRUCK IS KILLED

Brockton, March 24.—Richard G. Houlihan, aged fifteen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Houlihan, a junior at Brockton High School and a member of the track team, was run over and killed today on Main street by a truck.

Houlihan, in company with Walter E. Donahue of No. 21 Grant avenue and William Roberts, were hooking a ride to school on a truck owned by the Inter-City Express Company and driven by Andrew Johnston.

Another of the company's trucks, operated by James J. Murphy, No. 429 Montello street, was following. Murphy shouted to the boys to get off the forward truck and in so doing the lad lost his balance and stumbled, falling into the path of the rear truck.

COOLIDGE PROPOSES NEW NAVAL PARLEY

Washington, March 24.—President Coolidge has suggested to Secretary Kellogg that preliminary steps be taken for a new naval limitation conference. The work, as the president sees it, divides itself into two phases, first, determination of the technical aspects of naval limitation that remain to be concluded; second, the sounding out informally of the sentiment of the other powers as to the desirability of calling a new conference.

So far as known the Secretary has started no new informal conversations in other capitals relative to the conference plans.

It is assumed Mr. Kellogg will talk matters over with the naval experts before any more definite conversations are initiated abroad in order that the governments to be consulted can have more complete understanding of what the Washington government thinks it might be able to accomplish through a supplemental conference.

CREW ESCAPES AS SCHOONER HITS ROCK

Lubec, Me., March 24.—The three-masted schooner Harret B., of Providence, R. I., struck on Liberty Rocks at the lower end of Campobello, N. B., late last night, and probably will be a total loss. Captain Bradford and the crew are safe.

The coast guardsmen stood by, but no assistance could be rendered the vessel, which was bound to Lubec from South Amboy with 650 tons of coal for a canning company.

FIVE WOMEN WITNESSES WILL TESTIFY AGAINST CHAPMAN

SEEK TO IDENTIFY AUTO STATE SAYS HE USED

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Atlanta, from which institution he escaped twice.

The Providence woman, known as Mrs. Beeswax," has never been traced by the government sleuths. They say her name was given phonetically and simply sounds "something like Beeswax."

It took more than an hour to select the first juror, Fred W. Viets of East Granby. He was the thirteenth talesman interrogated. The defence showed extreme caution in appraising candidates for the panel that will pass upon the fate of Chapman.

Four who claimed they had read about the case but had not formed any deciding opinion were challenged. Several were excused by the court because of opposition to capital punishment. Six were excused because of ill health.

Chapman, bandit, safe-blower, jailbreaker, confidence man and alleged slayer, on whom the eyes of the police and underworld are focused today, is far from a bully in appearance, far from the popular conception of the "czar of crooks," as the authorities brand him.

IS MEDIUM-SIZED.

He is slim and medium-sized and pale. He looks more like a pickpocket than a two-gun terror. He gave the impression of lithseness and shyness as he entered the prisoners' pen flanked by a corporals' guard of deputy sheriffs armed to the teeth. The Hartford County authorities are taking no chances with their slippery, elusive ward.

Chapman is thirty-five years of age and doesn't weigh more than one hundred pounds. He wore a dark suit and a grey, pepper and salt topcoat. He had a doughboy's haircut.

His step and figure betrayed a nervous refinement. His face has a curious mixture of cunning and calmness, or at least that was Chapman's expression as he went on trial for his life.

He has a long, receding forehead, and ears that remind one of an express fighter. Side face, he reminds one of a rogue's gallery picture, but looking at you full on the face has character and excites sympathy. It is the face of one who has led the pace, seen and worried much.

His cheeks were sunken and he had the prison pallor. A slight twitching of the cords of his neck showed suppressed nervousness as he was told that he might leave the prisoner's pen and take a seat at his counsel's table, where again he was flanked by armed guardians of the law.

Chapman is reported to have been educated by his parents with the hope that he would become a clergyman, but evil companions in his college days sent him down the road of adventure, loose living and crime.

11 YEARS BEHIND BARS.

Late glimpses of his mysterious career indicate that he was born in New York City and not in London, as previously reported. After completing his education in the public schools of New York he is reported to have taken a course at Cathedral College, but not as Chapman, which is merely one of a score of aliases.

He has spent eleven years, a third of his life, behind bars and is confronted with the paradoxical situation in his present trial of going to the gallows if convicted of the first degree murder of Patrolman Skelley, and going to a Federal prison for twenty-five years on unexpired sentence, if acquitted.

Chapman claims he is innocent of the New Britain murder and safe-blowing. He charges the police with framing him, making him the goat for the crimes of others, as has been their custom with him because of his record, he avers. His defense is an alibi.

SPECTATORS BARRED.

Walter H. Shean, son of a wealthy hotel owner of Springfield, Mass., who was captured on the scene of the shooting, has turned State's evidence and charges Chapman with firing the shot that killed Patrolman Skelley. Shean is alleged to have admitted that he was with Chapman on the department store burglary.

Chapman says Shean accused him in order to save a third man, a friend of Shean's who was with Shean on the safe-blowing when Chapman was in another city. Shean's reply to that is that Chapman may have had a third man acting as picket, but that Chapman fired the fatal shot.

Shean was caught in the act of dropping an automatic into an automobile. Chapman, according to the police version, shot his way out of the store, calmly remarked to a knot of pedestrians at the door: "There has been some shooting in there," walked down the street and escaped through an alleyway.

Spectators were barred from the red brick courthouse on Trumbull street today, as the 150 talesmen and an army of newspaper correspondents, artists and photographers swarmed the capacious chamber. No one was admitted until after scrutiny and checking up.

Then followed an informal reception between court and counsel for the defence. Judge Frederick H. Groehl of New York is senior for Chapman. Attorney Nathaniel Friedman of Hartford, Attorney George W. Murphy of Danbury and Attorney Harry Evans of Hartford are also assisting the defence.

State's Attorney Hugh M. Alcorn and Assistant State's Attorney Reinhart L. Gideon are conducting the prosecution.

Shean, the scapegoat son of a wealthy Springfield family, is represented by Attorney William E. Granfield of that city and Attorneys James A. Curry and Josiah Peck of Hartford.

DENIES MOTION.

Judge Jennings denied a motion by Attorney Friedman on behalf of Chapman finding fault with the manner in which the talesmen were drawn, that is the number in proportion to population from small townships.

Judge Jennings thought the venire had been properly drafted and remarked that he did not expect the jury box to be filled from the original venire of 150.

Chapman Studies Men Called for Jury Duty

Hartford, March 24.—As the clerk called the list of potential jurors, Chapman, serious-faced and immobile, was led from the pen to a seat next his chief counsel, Frederick J. Groehl of New York. The guards flanked him as he sat at the counsel table.

He removed his topcoat and sat revealed in a suit of grey mixed material. He talked in low tones to Groehl as the jury was polled and read over a typed sheet as his chief lawyer explained its contents to him.

It later developed that the document the two were discussing was a challenge to the array, or an objection to the manner in which the 150 talesmen had been selected as potential trial jurors.

Call Bay State Man to Identify Auto

Pittsfield, March 24.—John A. Hasselbrook of No. 63 Fairfield street, formerly a State automobile inspector, has been summoned as a witness for the prosecution in the trial at Hartford of Gerald Chapman. Hasselbrook examined a man who went under the name of Waldo S. Miller, but is believed to be Chapman, and who had registered in Pittsfield an automobile which it is alleged is the car that was seized in New Britain after the shooting.

Chapman Record as Known to Police

The criminal record of Gerald Chapman, as far as the police know it, follows:

1915—Convicted of grand larceny and sentenced to Sing Sing for ten years.

1921—Headed a gang that robbed a mail truck of $1,500,000 in New York. Captured eight months later and sentenced to twenty-five years at Atlanta.

1923—MARCH 3—Escaped from the Atlanta Penitentiary, was shot in three places and recaptured.

1923—APRIL 4—While recovering from wounds in an Athens, Ga., hospital, again escaped.

1924—OCTOBER—Accused of murdering Patrolman Skelly when interrupted in looting safes in a New Britain, Ct., department store.

1925—JANUARY 18—Captured in Muncie, Ind., by post-office inspectors and local policemen.

CAPTAIN KILLED IN FIRE AT NEWPORT

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dletown, adjoining, and from the Newport Naval Training Station.

The blaze was never under control, however, and subsided only when an inflammable substance within the heavy granite and sandstone walls had been consumed.

Major Mortimer A. Sullivan was early on the scene, and with firemen worked tirelessly and at great risk to save city records.

CAUSED BY CROSSED WIRES.

The fire started shortly after 3 a. m. on the second floor. It was believed that crossed wires had started the blaze, but a later report that members of the Board of Aldermen had found oily rags in the hall last night led the police to open an investigation.

From the second floor the flames ate upward rapidly, until they were shooting upward through the roof of the structure, and apparatus in the city was called, with aid being asked from Middletown and the Naval Training Station.

Half a dozen hours later, the City Hall, built in 1898 at a cost of between $200,000 and $300,000, had hardly replaceable at less than half a million dollars, was destroyed.

When the fire was at its height Mayor Sullivan called a special meeting of the Board of Aldermen, a session that was planned to last all day.

TEMPORARY CITY HALL.

The meeting was held in the Sheffield Building, offered for use as a temporary City Hall by Representative Herbert Sisson, and only recently selected as the site for a new courthouse. Work of installing the various city departments in the temporary quarters was begun immediately and department heads were called into conference at noon.

The first fire endangered City Hall two months ago, when defective wiring was laid as the cause. Inspectors recommended an appropriation for replacing of the antiquated electric system, but no action was taken.

Only last night the City Council passed an order appropriating $1,100 to repair the damage caused by the first fire. A short time after this order passed, a fire was discovered in the women's cleaning room and was laid to spontaneous combustion in oily rags.

14 Persons Are Saved at Fire in Providence

Providence, March 24.—Fourteen persons, including an aged man and a fifteen-month-old infant, were saved by the police from a burning tenement block at No. 8 Wickenden street early today. The police battered down doors to reach the sleeping occupants.

John Morris, seventy years old, was carried from his third floor tenement unconscious. He was revived by the police. Patrolman Michael J. Devlin and his relief officer, Patrolman John F. Darkin, found the blaze raging furiously in the lower story of the building. When they forced an entrance they were for a moment driven back by fire and smoke. They battled their way to upper floors and, arousing the tenants, guided them to safety.

500 Pupils March Out at Norwood School Fire

Five hundred pupils in the Norwood High School on Washington street, Norwood, were driven to the yard today when fire of undetermined origin broke out in the basement at the foot of an airshaft.

Fire drill was sounded and the pupils marched quietly out of the building, to resume their studies an hour later when the blaze was extinguished by firemen.

The fire worked up through the airshaft to the roof, causing damage estimated at $100. The upper floors of the three-story building were somewhat damaged by water.

CHILD WHO SWALLOWED SAFETY PIN TO RECOVER

Kansas City, Mo., March 24.—Arahvilla Jane Malone, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Malone, Muskogee, Okla., is out of danger after swallowing an open safety pin, physicians announced.

The pin has been dislodged from the throat and entered the stomach.

After observing movements of the pin through the X-ray every few hours the doctors finally announced all danger passed.

$3,500 JURY AWARD IN ALIENATION SUIT

A jury in the Superior Court before Chief Justice Hall in the $10,000 suit brought by Mrs. Maude S. Lazarus against Mrs. Mary Abrailles for alleged alienation by the latter of the affections of Samuel Lazarus, husband of the plaintiff, returned a verdict of $3,500 for the plaintiff. Mrs. Lazarus lives in South Boston, and Mrs. Abailles at 18 Sheffield street, Roslindale.

AILEEN RIGGIN, GIRL SWIMMER, ILL

Aileen Riggin, one of the greatest girl swimmers and fancy divers in the world, has been seriously ill for the past week with appendicitis at her home in Brooklyn. It is understood that she is to undergo an operation unless her condition takes an immediate change for the better.

Only twelve days ago, winsome Aileen Riggin, eighteen-year-old girl swimmer and Olympic champion, splashed mightily in the Brooklins municipal pool in a water meet, but today word was received in Boston that she is seriously ill.

The Brooklyn girl, one of the greatest girl swimmers and fancy divers in the world, is suffering with appendicitis at her home, and it is understood that she will be compelled to undergo an operation.

With Miss Helen Wainwright, her New York clubmate, Aileen is regarded as the stellar all-round aquatic contestant of her sex. She first attracted national attention at the age of 12, when with three other "kid" swimmers she helped to shatter the women's world record in the 400-yard relay race.

SOVIET CANCELS CONCESSION TO SINCLAIR

Moscow, March 24 (A.P.).—The concession on the Island of Sakhalien granted the Sinclair Oil interests by the Soviet authorities was today annulled by the Soviet court which has been hearing the government's annulment plea. The court directed the government to return to the American Company the 200,000 rubles guaranty it had deposited.

Suit for the annulment of the concession was started by the Soviet government last month. It claimed the Sinclair Company had failed to carry out th terms of its agreement within the specified time and that the move for abrogation was not prompted by the conclusion of the Russo-Japanese treaty which provided adjustment of the dispute between the two governments over their respective rights on the island, the southern half of which belongs to Japan and the northern to Russia.

The Japanese, in fact, have been occupying the whole of the island, and the Sinclair Company's claim was that its representatives on this account found it impossible to proceed with the development.

TAXI MEN AGAIN SEEK SETTLEMENT OF STRIKE

Representatives of the striking taxicab drivers and officials of the Premier Cab Company of Massachusetts conferred at the taxicab headquarters on Arlington street, but were unable to agree on a settlement of the strike, which was called last Wednesday by the drivers to enforce the "closed shop" agreement of Taxicab Drivers' Union 126.

Another conference is scheduled for today at the same headquarters.

BUTLER TO LAY WREATH ON WASHINGTON TOMB

When the National Association of Cotton Manufacturers gather in Washington, April 6-8, the president, Morgan Butler of Boston, son of U. S. Senator Butler, will lay a wreath on the tomb of George Washington. The party will then make a pilgrimage to the Arlington National Cemetery, where Mr. Butler will place a wreath on the grave of the Unknown Soldier.

STORM DOCTOR OPERATES ON 63 VICTIMS

Murphysboro, March 24.—The human wreckage left in wake of the tornado which swept across Missouri, Illinois and Indiana Wednesday, is growing with each passing day.

While the debris of thousands of buildings levelled by the tornado is being rapidly cleared up and the marks of the terrible storm are being obliterated, the hospitals holding their hundreds of injured hourly report increases in the numbers of tornado victims who will be hopelessly crippled for life.

One physician alone, Dr. Robinson Duff of Chicago, amputated the limbs of sixty-three persons injured in the tornado within three days. Other surgeons have kept equally busy, and hundreds who were caught in the flying wreckage or buried in the ruins of their homes find it necessary to undergo major operations to save their lives.

Dr. Duff, before returning to Chicago, told of the terrible tragedy he found while working among the tornado victims.

BABY'S SUFFERING.

"One of the saddest incidents was that of a three-year-old baby with both legs crushed and the left arm twisted," said the doctor. "I amputated the legs just above the knees. The baby died three hours after the operation.

"The mother lay on an adjoining cot, badly injured. She kept asking me about the baby, although she hardly could speak. I finally told her the baby was dead. She cried 'My baby! My baby!'

"Then she became composed and said:

"'Thank you, doctor. You did all you could. Now I know my baby is free of all pain.'

At West Frankfort three additional dread diseases appeared today among the sufferers from the tornado, complicating the already difficult battle of physicians and nurses to prevent epidemics. The new maladies are tetanus, or lockjaw; typhoid and erysipelas. Gangrene and pneumonia already had attacked the storm's victims.

Robbie Dunn, a railroad man, is a victim of lockjaw. He lay without attention in a box car from Wednesday until last night, suffering from lacerations of the scalp and concussion of the brain. When found he was hurried to the isolation hospital here. The tetanus developed today. He was treated with anti-tetanus serum, and it is thought that he will recover.

FARMERS PLAN TO CUT POTATO ACREAGE

New England farmers plan to reduce their potato acreage eight per cent. Maine plans ten per cent. reduction. For the whole United States a reduction of four percent. is planned, which will give the lowest acreage in potatoes since 1908. These statistics were made public today at Wakefield by V. A. Sanders, government crop reporting statistician.

MUST HAVE CASH GUARD TELLS COOLIDGE

Washington, March 24.—A group of National Guard officers presented to President Coolidge today their argument why the $1,823,000 carried in the deficiency appropriation bill for National Guard drill pay should be allowed. The President has ordered the appropriation withheld until he can ascertain the necessity for it.

In the delegation were Major A. Reckord of Maryland, president of the National Guard Association of the United States; Adjutant-General Berry of Pennsylvania, Adjutant-General Henderson of Ohio, Hugh A. Gillmore of New Jersey, Frank Schwenad of Illinois, D. John Markey of Maryland, Major-General Anston Stephan, commander of the District of Columbia National Guard, and Brigadier-General Travis of the Georgia National Guard.

The President was told that unless the money is made available for expenditure during the remainder of this fiscal year drill of National Guardsmen in every State will be interfered with and in many instances will have to be dispensed with altogether.

Mr. Reckord told the President that within a few days he would submit to him a written statement of the necessity for the appropriation.

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assist in the support of Mrs. Dennistoun to the extent that he was able when she was not in a position to provide for herself.

UNFAVORABLE TO EX-WIFE.

The decision was particularly unfavorable to Mrs. Dennistoun, in the opinion of legal experts. They based this opinion on the jury's findings that Col. Dennistoun agreed to help support Mrs. Dennistoun to the extent he was able, exclusive of Lady Carnarvon's means.

Such a decision, legal experts contended, practically precluded the possibility of Mrs. Dennistoun collecting the money award.

The court will hear legal arguments tomorrow before handing down a final verdict based on the jury's findings.

Judge McCardis questioned the jury's decision that Col. Dennistoun had agreed to help support Mrs. Dennistoun.

ATTITUDE OF JURY.

"In your view was this arrangement to be irrespective of whether she was the wife or companion of a rich man?" the court asked.

"No," replied the foreman, "we don't mean he should support her in that case."

The jury held that the considerations for the financial agreement was that Mrs. Dennistoun had agreed not to demand alimony in France.

STATE STREET CURB BROKERS SUSPEND

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the firm. The other firm member is Charles H. Winter.

Following the suspension, Peter C. Borre, counsel for Temple H. Fay & Co., issued the following statement:

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STATE FINANCE BOARD URGES GASOLINE TAX

A recommendation that a gasoline tax be adopted in Massachusetts to defray some of road upkeep and construction of highways is contained in the annual report of the State Commission on Administration and Finance, made public today.

The recommendation is in line with one of the important suggestions made by Governor Fuller in his inaugural.

The Finance Board report reminds autoists that in addition to the regular expense of road building and upkeep, motor traffic is responsible for increased judicial, police, playground, street widening and bridge costs.

Motor vehicles have been a leading factor in depreciating the value of steam and railway securities in the State, the commission also pointed out. A gasoline tax was characterized as "a splendid example of revenue raising."

TO FREE STATE OF DEBT

The commission's report declared the body's aim to be a Massachusetts without debt, and asserted that such a situation will be reached eventually through continuation of the policy of making budgets without borrowing.

The annual debt requirement has been reduced by $882,767.89, the report stated, through no State bonds having been issued for annually recurring expenditures since adoption of the budget system seven years ago.

"There is still an annual debt burden of $2,814,052.25 on the taxpayer, for which the administration of the present day is in no way responsible," said the report.

A much lighter rein, the commission declared, must be exercised over State expenditures than ever before under the budget system if the State tax is to be kept down to $13,000,000.

SAVINGS EFFECTED.

Under the system of competitive bidding, great savings were effected by the commission in printing costs alone.

On one printing job, as an example, 35 per cent. of the 1923 cost was saved in 1924, or a money saving of $26,187, showing for fifty, according to the commission, of awarding all State printing to one concern without bids. Another saving was effected on an election pamphlet called "Information to Voters."

Another pamphlet, "Rulings Every Owner and Operator Should know," printed for the Registry of Motor Vehicles, was gotten out in 1924 at a cost of $4.43 per thousand, where in 1923 the same pamphlet cost the State $7.98 per thousand.

"School Registers," for the Department of Education for the financial agreement was that Mrs. Dennistoun had agreed not to demand alimony in France.

STATE STREET CURB BROKERS SUSPEND

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APES LACKING IN "REAL LOVE," SAYS SAVANT

Absence does not make the ape heart grow fonder, according to Dr. Wolfgang Koehler of the University of Berlin. In an address at Harvard Dr. Koehler pointed to this fact as evidence of what he claims to be the chief difference between chimpanzees and orang outanes and man. Professor Koehler said he failed to see much difference between men and monkeys.

"The only difference—if there is a difference—is that when the love of an ape for a female and the love of a man for a girl,' said the professor.

BUS WITH 8 ABOARD PLUNGES INTO RIVER

Rumford, Me., March 24.—A public bus, running between Dixfield and Rumford, overturned and plunged into the Androscoggin River with seven passengers and driver.

The water enveloped the car, but all the occupants got out through the side curtains. They received treatment at Dixfield. All the passengers escaped unhurt. No serious injuries were reported.

SPANISH SHIP REPORTED SINKING OFF BAHAMAS

Marseilles, March 24 (I.N.S.).—The Spanish steamship Guipuzcoa was reported sinking today near Whale point. The distress message received here gave no further details. Whalepoint is located on Long Island, a member of the Bahama group.

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Edith Gould's Own Story of the Life of a Rich Girl

The Elaborate Ceremony of Christening a Baby of the Very Rich

By EDITH GOULD WAINRIGHT

CHAPTER II.

IN my previous chapter I told of my birth on August 3, 1901, on my father's yacht, the Sybarite. The first two months of my life I spent on the yacht. Every morning we would bring Papa to the New York Yacht Club landing so that he could get to his office at No. 195 Broadway.

Right here I would like to make it clear that in spite of the wealth that my father inherited from his father, Jay Gould, he was by no means an idler. In fact, from the time of his young manhood until his death he worked assiduously, not only to conserve the big estate but to enlarge it for the benefit of his sisters and brothers, his own children and theirs. He was at his desk daily at nine and remained there until five or later each day, except, of course, for such time as he spent at lunch or in business engagements elsewhere.

Happy Days on Water

After we had dropped him at the New York Yacht Club pier in the East River, we would take a little sail up the Hudson, beautiful in its early Autumn coloring, or go in the other direction and enjoy the loveliness of the Sound. In the evening we would meet papa again, either at the yacht club landing or at some other point convenient to him. Week-ends my parents would make trips to Newport or New London and so spend many happy days on the water.

The late Dr. William B. Anderton, the family physician, lived on the ship and he, with four trained nurses—two day and two night nurses—provided for the safety and health of mother and baby. But this idyll could not go on forever, and when the Autumn winds began to blow chill we all repaired to Georgian Court, at Lakewood, N. J. This beautiful home that I grew to love more than any other childhood home had been built a short time before my birth. In it my parents had put years of energy, thought and money.

Three hundred acres of New Jersey pine land had been cultivated and worked over to build this mansion and its surroundings. It was there that I was baptized on January 27, 1902. I was then 8 months old. My mother chose January for the event because it was then the height of the social season in New York.

Regal Christening

It was decided to make the christening a gala event, and my parents' private train was used to convey the guests from New York to Lakewood. As papa was president of several railroads, he naturally had his own personal private car, also called the Atalanta, like his yacht, and a special train whenever needed, at his disposal.

My mother's uncle, Bishop H. T. Kingdon, came from Canada to officiate at the christening together with the Rev. Mr. Mathews, rector of All Saints' Episcopal Church at Lakewood. There were about 300 guests at the event which took place at 12 o'clock in the great hall which had been transformed into a chapel by the installation of a font borrowed by countless American beauties.

Before I was born my mother had decided that should I prove to be a girl my name should be Edith. My eldest sister had been named Marjorie Gwynne, after the part which my mother played on the stage in "Love on Crutches," when she first met my father.

The second eldest daughter was Helen Vivien—Helen after my father's sister, Miss Helen Gould, who is now Mrs. Finley J. Shepard, and who, I might add, has the reputation of being one of New York's greatest philanthropists. Vivien was added because Helen's name was so beautifully musical. It is by the second name that Vivien, now Lady Decies, is generally known.

Named for Book Girl

Therefore, when I came along, mama decided that if she had a girl, she would be named for herself. The middle name, Catherine, was given to me for my mother's sister, who died as a child.

As for Gloria, my youngest sister, her name was derived from that of the heroine, Gloria Quayle, in Hall Caine's "The Christian." My mother had read the book shortly before the baby was born and was so much impressed by the characterization that she chose the Latin form of the name for the new child. This choice started a vogue in America for the naming of girls, and the next national census found the number of Glorias materially increased.

To get back to my own christening: the newspapers of the time thus described the christening gown:

"It is of white satin entirely covered with lace. This veils the long skirt and the short baby waist which is trimmed at the neck with frills of lace. Two little puffs of satin covered with lace do duty for sleeves and are caught up on the shoulders with knots of white ribbon."

Sprinkled With Candy

A good deal of a gown to inflict upon a helpless infant, eh?

Of course, every such occasion in a wealthy family means another shower of presents, and this was no exception. These included various objects, ranging from silver candle-sticks to bootees. Among other things was a solid gold jewel case, a gift that anticipated by a few years its own usefulness.

The most prized of these presents is the jewel-studded, gold-bound prayer book given to me by Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish, the arbiter of New York society. This is inscribed on the fly-leaf: "Edith C. Gould, from her godmother, Marian J. Fish, January 27, 1902."

As for the religious ceremony itself, I remember my mother's saying some years later that, contrary to precedent, I did not cry as the Bishop made the Sign of the Cross on my forehead with holy water brought specially from the River Jordan.

Following the christening a luncheon was given for the guests. Each guest found at his or her place a heart-shaped white box filled with sugar-coated almonds. In Europe it is custom at christenings to sprinkle the baby with these confections and this quaint custom was followed at mine.

In the next article I will tell of the plain and rigorous manner in which the Gould children were reared.

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(To Be Continued Tomorrow)

REGAL CHRISTENING FOR DAUGHTER OF THE GOULDS

Edith Gould as she appeared at the age of five years and, at the left, the white satin and lace gown which she wore when christened, a ceremony performed by the Rev. Dr. Mathews of All Saints' Church, Lakewood, N. J., and Bishop H. T. Kingdon of Canada, a great-uncle of Edith Gould.

PASTOR DODGES ARBUCKLE ON WEDDING DAY

Backs Out on Promise to Wed Ex-Film Comedian and Doris Deane

Los Angeles, March 24.—Wedding bells will ring in celebration of Roscoe Arbuckle's thirty-eighth birthday tonight, unless something happens to alter the former film comedian's plan to marry Doris Deane, motion picture actress, at her mother's home in San Marino, a suburb.

Arbuckle and Miss Deane obtained their marriage license yesterday. The announcement that the Rev. L. Whitcomb Brougher would officiate had scarcely been made when the minister revealed a lecture engagement which would prevent him from going to San Marino.

He suggested to Arbuckle that inasmuch as "very few clergymen wish to marry divorced people, it would be a good idea to have a superior Court judge tie the knot."

Arbuckle acted on the suggestion, but Judge J. W. Summerfield said that his wife had made a dinner engagement for tonight "which would keep him occupied for the entire evening."

The former comedian's marriage to Miss Deane will be his second trip to the altar. His first wife, known to the stage as Minta Durfee, obtained a divorce in Paris several months ago.

M'MILLAN, BIG GAME HUNTER, IS DEAD

Sir William Northrup McMillan, whose wife was Miss Lucie Fairbanks Webber of Northampton, is dead at Nairobi, British East Africa, according to cables from there today.

Sir William, who was a native of St. Louis, was famed as a big game hunter, and was host to the late Theodore Roosevelt on his East African ranch, said to be the largest in the world.

He was married to Miss Webber in 1894. For three years previous to his marriage he had conducted a ranch in New Mexico. Later he moved to St. Louis where he entered business, and in 1903 went to London, where he was in business from 1899 to 1901.

For five years McMillan and his wife were explorers and big game hunters in Africa, where he later established a ranch of vast acreage, called Juja Farm.

ENGLAND SEEKS DEPORTATION OF EX-HUB MAN

Homer Tyrell Lane, forty-nine years old, former Bostonian, is facing deportation from England as an undesirable alien in consequence of his activities as a psycho-analyst in London, according to cables from that city today.

Lane appeared in Bow street police court on the technical charge of violating the alien laws by failing to register his address with the police.

Applying for a deportation order, Herbert Muskett, for the Commissioner of Police, said that Lane had earned $125,000 as a psycho-analyst, interviewing men and women of the highest social position at two guineas a visit.

The police prosecutor said Lane's license to conduct an industrial school was revoked by the home office after complaints that Lane had adopted an overfriendly attitude toward young women students.

The Lord Bishop of Liverpool testified in Lane's defense. He said he had known Lane since 1913.

"There are few men in whose integrity I have more confidence," the bishop testified. "He is a gentleman of highest character; a natural genius."

The bishop said he had sent Lane clients who profited by Lane's consultations. "They were more able to meet life's difficulties," he continued.

Referring to the revocation of Lane's school license, the bishop said:

"Lane used unconventional methods which no investigator could be expected to understand or appreciate."

Travers Humphreys, a famous lawyer, represented Lane. If contended the technical charge of failing to register was "trivial and unpunishable by deportation." He said the charge that Lane was an undesirable alien was unfounded.

LEGISLATURE "USELESS," SAYS GOVERNOR SILZER

Trenton, N. J., March 24.— New Jersey taxpayers pay heavily for the privilege which they flatter themselves into calling "self government," declared Governor Silzer today, in arraigning the 1925 legislature. "The session just closed was about as futile as it could be," the executive asserted. A score of recommendations were enumerated which Governor Silzer asserted he had forwarded to the legislature for action. Not one of them was adopted, he said, even though to his mind they were most important questions.

SHACKLED PAIR SHOOT TWO OFFICERS; ESCAPE

Salisbury, Md., March 24.—Seizing a pistol from a deputy sheriff, who with another officer was taking them to jail in an automobile, Andrew and Luther Bevans, brothers, shot and beat both officers, wrecked the car and escaped in a swamp near Newark today.

J. L. Davis, deputy sheriff, may die. The prisoners were handcuffed. The brothers had been held in Baltimore jail awaiting trial for arson. They were brought to Snow Hill yesterday for their safety. The officers were returning them to Baltimore when attacked.

U. S. ENVOY TO AUSTRIA TENDERS RESIGNATION

Vienna, March 24 (A.P.).—Albert H. Washburn has tendered his resignation as United States Minister to Austria, he made known today.

Mr. Washburn, who was appointed in 1922 by the late Pres. Harding, pointed out that it was customary for American diplomats to place their posts at the disposal of the President in cases of a change at the White House, regardless of whether theywere inspired by private considerations are, not.

Erb's Condition Unchanged

New York, March 24.—Newman Erb, seventy-year-old president of the Ann Arbor Railroad, who was operated upon at Roosevelt Hospital yesterday, was said today to be as well as could be expected.

BROOKHART INSISTS HE WAS LOYAL TO G. O. P.

Des Moines, Ia., March 24 (A.P.).—Denying allegations that he deserted the Republican party in last year's campaign and obtained election to the United States Senate "by fraud and deceit," Senator Smith W. Brookhart today characterized the contest of his election brought by the Republican State Central Committee as a "dishonest and fraudulent conspiracy." The denial was made in the Senator's reply to the committee's protest recently filed with the Senate. His answer was filed with the secretary of the Senate, simultaneously with its publication.

B. & M. MAN ARGUES AGAINST MOTOR BUS

Figures calculated to prove that motor bus competition is endangering reduced rates on railroads and frequent train service for commuters were produced before the Rotary Club of Woburn today by T. F. Joyce, assistant to the president of the Boston & Maine. He added that in some instances these motor bus companies were operating in evasion or defiance of the law. If such competition is allowed to grow, he concluded, the only possible effect can be higher railroad rates for commuters or fewer trains, or both.

BATTLES HOLDUP PAIR, BUT LOSES VALUABLES

In the shadow of the Tombs, Manuel Gonzales, 27 years old, of Provincetown, was beaten and robbed of $74, a watch and chain by two armed men today. Gonzales reported to the police that he battled with his assailants for five minutes, knocking one man down, but was himself felled by a blow on the head from a gun butt.

TWO ARE INDICTED IN RHODE ISLAND DEATHS

Providence, R. I., March 24.—Two indictments charging murder, one against Chin Ting, who is alleged to have murdered Chin Moon in a Chinese restaurant here and one against Anne Decresenzo and Antonio Maccone, for murdering Gennaro Tortora in Bristol last December, were among the 163 indictments returned today by the grand jury for Providence and Bristol counties. Twenty-nine were secret. Ting's trial will open next Monday and the other murder cases is scheduled for April 6.

Child Severely Burned

Two-year-old George F. McManus of No. 4 Cordis street, Charlestown, was critically burned today when his nightgown caught fire while he was playing about the kitchen stove in his home. The child's mother wrapped him in a rug, but the flames were not extinguished until he was severely burned.

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JAZZ BLAMED FOR 'SPEED' OF YOUTH

Drinking and Petting Parties Influenced by Music, Says W. C. T. U. Speaker

"It is my belief that it is the jazz music of the age and the 'jazzisms' that go with it, that are responsible for the prevalent tone of relaxation in conventions," is the opinion of Miss Grace Leigh Scott, field lecturer of the national W. C. T. U. in Boston to conduct a two weeks' crusade against immorality.

"Drinking, petting parties, smoking on the part of women are all 'jazzisms' that accompany the music you hear everywhere and which is nothing but pure sensualism," Miss Scott says.

"The present day is like a leak in the dyke," she continued. "If the leak can be stopped now there will be no deluge such as Greece and Rome suffered, if not, America will go the same way those nations went."

"Free love, double standards and all that sort of thing were tested out centuries ago," said Miss Scott. "They are really old-fashioned and the modern way should be a same way."

"Ten years ago no man and woman would have thought of dancing in the position that dancers use nowadays. Nor would women have exposed their bodies the way they do today."

"No, I do not think that prohibition is largely responsible for the let-down one sees everywhere today. Of course people are acting as if a favorite toy had been taken from them and they are screaming and kicking but I believe the wave of liquor would have come anyway along with the unconventionality and jazz of the time."

Highway Hearing

The Legislative Committee on Municipal Finance will hold a hearing at 10:30 a. m. next Tuesday on the compromise bill for the construction of a highway through the central section of the city and the widening of many connecting streets, at a cost of $30,000,000.

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GOVERNOR IN PLEA FOR BIBLE

Tennessee Executive Explains Bill Barring Evolution in Schools

Nashville, Tenn., March 24.—Governor Austin Peay linked an appeal for return to the old-fashioned in the Bible with a citation of one's rights to worship according to the dictates of his conscience, in a statement to the Tennessee Legislature, explaining why he signed the bill prohibiting the teaching of evolution in schools of the State.

The Governor characterized the bill "a distinct protest against an irreligious tendency to exalt so-called science and deny the Bible in some schools and quarters—a tendency fundamentally wrong and fatally mischievous in its effects on our children, our institutions and our country."

"After a careful examination," he added, "I can find nothing of consequence in the books now being taught in our schools which this bill will interfere with in the slightest manner. Therefore, it will not put our teachers in any jeopardy. Probably the law will never be applied. It may not be sufficiently definite to permit of any specific application or enforcement. Nobody believes that it is going to be an active statute."

'PANTS PRESSING' EMIR ARRESTED IN LIVERPOOL

London, March 24. — "His royal highness, the Emir of Kurdistan" today is in the custody of the Liverpool police pending home office instructions.

The emir arrived on the liner Celtic apparently under a New York deportation order. The police say the title and his passport are bogus.

During the trip across the emir wore a resplendent uniform with epaulettes, sash and red fez, every evening. He claimed descent from Haroun Al Raschid and told passengers aboard the boat that he married a Kentucky heiress during the few months he was in the United States.

POLES ORDERED TO QUIT GERMANY BY AUGUST 1

Warsaw, March 24.—In pursuance of the German-Polish convention signed in Vienna last August, the German government has invited those persons domiciled in Germany who declared preference for Polish nationality to leave German territory before August 1 next, with the alternative of expulsion by force.

The Polish authorities and social organizations have made all preparations to receive these repatriated persons, who number several thousand.

Cards Out for Reception at Town House of Hamlens

Braggiotti Sisters to Sparkle in Forthcoming Vincent Club Show at the Boston Opera House

Betty Alden

MR. AND MRS. PAUL A. HAMLEN HAVE sent out cards for a highly interesting event, a reception and tea on April 3 from 4 to 7 at their town house in Gloucester street to meet their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Blair Ferguson. Mrs. Ferguson was Elizabeth Hamlen.

THE BRIDE WAS included in the debutante lists of some two years ago, and after a brief whirl in the social sea spent a year or more in travel abroad, as so many of the younger feminine members of Society are wont to do.

MRS. HAMLEN was Agnes Devens and is a sister of Mrs. Gerald Boardman (Elizabeth Devens). Both the Hamlens, senior, and the Boardmans are prominent in the set which revolves—primarily—about the Senior Napier Dances and are seen wherever the Smart Set foregathers.

NO POMP surrounded the marriage of the young people, who chose the quietest of ceremonials before a very small company and with none of the ostentation that usually marks such an important alliance.

YOUNG MR. FERGUSON, the bridegroom, has an interesting family background. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. John C. Ferguson of Newton and of Peking, China. Mr. Ferguson, pere, has been for many years an adviser extraordinary to the Chinese government, in various honored posts during both the Empire and the Republic.

HE HAS COUNTLESS decorations from the Chinese government, from other nations as well and, aside from his high advisory duties, has served the Chinese as a supreme official of the Red Cross. In addition to these honors he is considered one of the greatest living authorities on Chinese art and treasures.

BOSTON'S MUCH applauded and well-known young Society dancers, Berthe and Francesca Braggiotti are due to shine resplendently in the forthcoming Vincent Club show, which takes the boards at the Opera House on the afternoons of April 16, 17 and 18.

MISS BERTHE is slated to assume the leading masculine role, that of "The Sheik," and in addition will do at least one, and perhaps two, of her special dances. She plays opposite Mrs. Frederick J. Bradlee, Jr., the one-time Josephine de Gersdorff, just as pretty a "leading lady" as the Vincent Club boasts.

OF COURSE, the statement that the Braggiotti sisters are to appear is tantamount to saying that terpsichorean art of the very highest will be served up to the Smart Set, maids, matrons and men, who always turn out en masse for the yearly Vincent Club offering.

(Photograph by Bachrach.)

MISS MARTHA BIGELOW, daughter of the Albert Bigelows of Brookline. She does a solo number, "The Moon of Love," in the Vincent Club Show at the Opera House in mid-April.

JUST WHAT PART Francesca Braggiotti has in the feast of dance is not yet decided, but safe to assume it will be a delightful feature and executed with all the finish that distinguishes any effort of hers.

SOCIETY, HOWEVER, need not wait until mid-April before seeing the Braggiotti sisters on the stage, for these talented girls are making one of their excursions into the professional field on Monday and will appear at Keith's Theatre as the "headliners" of the show.

THEY ARE TAKING with them their young sister, Gloria Braggiotti, for what will be her first public appearance as a dancer. And they have as well a company of some ten girls and are putting on an original act of gorgeous Oriental setting and coloring.

MIRIAM WINSLOW, sub-debutante daughter of the Sidney Winslows of Clyde street, Brookline, is in the group, also Barbara West, daughter of Mr. John West of West Hill place. Another dancer of unusual promise is Dana Steveling, and still a third is Marcia Bell.

FIVE OTHER sprites of the dance are Christine Perry, Kitty Pope, Lilian Duncan, Olive Mayer and Barbara Johnson. The ensemble is completed with Eugenia Frothingham, Ruth Abbott and Miriam Rothschild as hand maidens.

EACH OF THESE and these first named are gifted young members of the Denishawn School here in town, where Miss Berthe and Miss Francesca preside so successfully with so much credit to them and to their pupils.

TURNING BACK to the Vincent Club theme—Martha Bigelow is doing a lovely solo number, a dance named poetically "The Moon of Love," and Eleanor Goodwin is down on the long and varied program for a Serenata of Moroccan flavor, two dances that bear the Braggiotti flavor, arranged and taught by them.

Tonight's Entertainment

DRAMA—
Hollis—"Next Door"—8:15 P. M.
Plymouth—"The Goose Hangs High"—8:20 P. M.
Selwyn—"White Cargo" 8:15 P. M.
St. James—"Rolling Home" —8:15 P. M.
MUSICAL—
Colonial—"Kid Boots"—8:00 P. M.
Majestic—"I'll Say She Is" —8:00 P. M.
Shubert—"The Passing Show"—8:10 P. M.
Tremont—Ed Wynn in "Grab Bag"—8:15 P. M.
Wilbur—"Little Jessie James"—8:10 P. M.
FILMS—
Fenway—"Charley's Aunt."
State—"Backcloth and Scarlet."

HARVARD ENTERTAINS EMINENT DEBATERS

Harvard entertained at luncheon today the two debaters of Symphony Hall tonight, Clarence Darrow, criminal lawyer, and Scott Nearing.

Mr. Darrow will dine at the Harvard Union and address its members afterward on "Crime." Professor Nearing will break bread with the members of the Liberal Club and speak afterwards. He was denied a chance to speak last year at the Union.

FIVE MEET DEATH IN RUSSIAN PLANE'S FALL

Moscow, March 24 (A.P.)—Three prominent officials of the Soviet government and the two pilots of a military airplane were killed when the machine caught fire a few miles out of Tiflis and crashed from a height of 6,000 feet.

MRS. HEARST WHITE HOUSE GUEST OF MRS. COOLIDGE

Washington, March 24.—Mrs. William Randolph Hearst, with her son Randolph, was received at the White House by Mrs. Coolidge, with whom she chatted for half an hour.

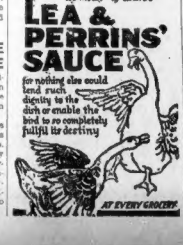
Mrs. Hearst is passing a few days in Washington. At the afternoon's call at the executive mansion, Mrs. Hearst was afforded the opportunity of meeting some of the most interesting women in the federal government—the select little group occupying executive posts in the departments. Mrs. Coolidge is at home to them on Mondays.

Sauce for the Goose

or the gander or his cousin the duck or the plump fowl of commerce is quite the most important part of the ceremony when it appears on the table. We mean—of course

LEA & PERRINS' SAUCE

for nothing else could lend such dignity to the dish or enable the bird to so completely fulfill its destiny



AT EVERY GROCERY

Fashion Week at WHITE'S

THE BLOCK LONG WINDOW DISPLAY OF FASHIONS at WHITE'S — which many consider is the outstanding feature each year of the Spring Season in Boston. Literally, thousands of people visit and enjoy these style portrayals. Not only are they beautifully staged and pleasing to see, but—more important—they are informing. The most significant style innovations of the season—at a glance.

N. B. So great are the crowds at times, it is difficult to get close to some of the windows.

R.H.White Co.

R.H.White Co.

Mail Orders Filled—Boston 8 Telephone Orders Filled—Beach 3100

Wednesday and Thursday

Women's Downy Wool and Suede Material Coats

$18.10

One model with inserts of contrasting color material on collar, cuffs and sides of coat, small novelty buttons and soutache braiding. Style sketched has snug fitting shoulders, collar, cuffs and revers with contrasting color material finished in scallop effect. Other models, some with raglan shoulder and upstanding collars, others with large patch pockets and large self-covered buttons. All full silk crepe lined. Colors rookie, tan, gray and apricot.

2nd Floor

Wednesday and Thursday

Men's New Spring Topcoats

$21.75

Topcoats for men and young men. Colors, blue grays and tan. Sizes 33 to 44.

2nd Floor

Wednesday and Thursday

Men's Brown Calfskin Oxfords 3.95

Stylish English last oxford, finely made of brown, fine weight calfskin. Highly polished leather on a perfect fitting last. Fine Goodyear welt construction. All sizes from 6 to 11. Widths C, D and E.

2nd Floor

Wednesday and Thursday

Bloomers 89c

Of opal dimity, double elastic, and double lace edge—liberal cut and good shape bloomer, well reinforced. In white, pink, peach and orchid. Sizes 27 and 29.

Windsor Crepe Stepins $1.09

Cut full, real filet lace edging. In pink and white.

2nd Floor

Wednesday and Thursday

"Gutman" Framed Pictures $1.88

Framed in attractive blue toned frames. Size 15½x19½ inches outside measure. "The Awakening," "Little Bit of Heaven," "The Butterfly."

4th Floor

Wednesday and Thursday

Gray Squirrel Scarfs $12.50

4-skin natural squirrel, with 3 tails.

2nd Floor

Wednesday and Thursday

Silver-Plated Set $5.00

(26 pieces)
Community Par Plate
6 knives, steel blades
6 teaspoons
6 dessert spoons
6 dinner forks
1 sugar shell
1 butter knife

Wednesday and Thursday

Steak Sets $2.82

2 pieces, sterling silver handles, stainless steel blade in knife. Attractive design.

Walnut Room, Street Floor

Wednesday and Thursday

Hemstitched Crepe Scarfs $1.25

Assorted colors.

Street Floor

Wednesday and Thursday

9 x 12 ft. Seamless Axminster Rugs $37.50

Oriental designs, heavy quality, good assortment of colors.

3rd Floor

Wednesday and Thursday

Heavy Rayon Sport Bloomers $2.49

One elastic, finished with narrow ruffle, scalloped and embroidered. Shades of tan, cocoa, rust, belgian, gray, jade, navy and black. Lengths 27 and 29. Double service crotch.

2nd Floor

Wednesday and Thursday

Boys' and Girls' Ball Bearing Roller Skates $1.88

Fit all sizes from child's size eleven up to and larger than boys' 3½.

Children's Shoe Dept., Street Floor

A Fitting Climax to "Shepard Month in Boston"

Women's Glove Silk Vests
Irregular
1.00
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
First Floor—Winter Street

Babies' Muslin Dresses
2 for 1.00
LACE trimmed or with embroidered yokes. Some long, some short.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
Third Floor

Specializing Wednesday in Remarkable Values at

1.00

All Sections of the Store Contribute Bountifully

Men's Wool Golf Hose
1.00
Sizes 9 to 11½
100% wool English-made golf hose. Heather and plain colors, with fancy tops.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
First Floor—Winter Street

2500 Pairs Ruffled Curtains
1.00 a pair
RUFFLED voile curtains — with deep flounce at bottom and full gathered ruffle around front and bottom. Matching tie-backs are included.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
Third Floor—Winter Street

700 Untrimmed Hats
1.00 each
WOMEN'S and misses'. All new styles to choose from, in all of the popular Spring colors, including black.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
Second Floor—Temple Place

Initial Stationery
2 boxes for 1.00
WHITE fabric finish, initial stationery; 12 cards, 24 sheets of paper and 36 envelopes.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
First Floor—Winter Street

Bib Aprons
3 for 1.00
1200 of them are of percale trimmed with rickrack, and there are 300 of rubberized cretonne, from 23 to 24 inches wide.
All in practical colors.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
Third Floor—Tremont Street

Women's Cotton Crepe Nightgowns
Each 1.00
REGULAR and extra sizes in the lot. The regular sizes are trimmed with Roman striped cotton crepe—the extra sizes in plain colors.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
Third Floor—Tremont Street

Men's Union Suits
1.00
Sizes 34 to 46
ATHLETIC union suit of long-wearing soisette. A very comfortable suit—and a wonderful suit at the price.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
First Floor—Winter Street

2500 Cotton Blouses
1.00
OVERBLOUSES and tuck-in styles, short or long sleeves. English broadcloth (cotton), tailored styles, in white, blue or tan. Voiles, lace and tucked trimming. Tailored dimities. Cotton flannel overblouses.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
First Floor

Proving That There Are More Than One Hundred Cents in the Wisely Spent Dollar

This is the final sensation of a month of sensational sales. Every one of these items is extraordinary—impossible as a daily practice. Quantities are large, but may not last through the day. When quantities are exhausted it will be impossible to procure more to sell at 1.00. We cannot, therefore, fill mail or telephone orders.

Doors Open Promptly at 9 A. M. Wednesday

Table Cloths
1.00
780 table cloths, hemstitched white cloths, size 58x64. Scalloped cloths with colored borders, 58x58. White damask pattern cloths, 58x58. Every one of these is more than a real value.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
Fourth Floor—Tremont Street

7200 Yards
Linen Crash Dish Toweling
5 yards for 1.00
PURE linen crash dish toweling, with red, blue or plain white borders.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
Fourth Floor—Tremont Street

Mary Elizabeth Willow Products
2 for 1.00
1 bottle Mary Elizabeth Toilet Water.
1 box Mary Elizabeth Face Powder.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
First Floor—Winter Street

Women's Thread Silk Stockings
1.00 Pair
FULL-FASHIONED of pure thread silk with mercerized cotton tops and soles. Colors: French nude, Belgique, oak dust, neutral, fawn, black and light gun metal.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
First Floor—Tremont Street

Women's Sweaters
1.00
SLIPOVER and Cricket Neck models, novelty designs or plain in cricket necks. Rayon or rayon and wool mixtures. Novelties in abundance. Sizes in the lot, 36 to 42.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
First Floor

Ribbon Garters
2 pairs for 1.00
PLAIN color ribbon garters with rosebud trimming.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
Ribbon Store—First Floor—Winter Street

Women's Neckwear
1.00
AN amazing assortment from which to make selections, including frilled jabots of lace with lace collar. Lace collars with real filet edge. Collar and cuff sets in Irish designs. Vestee and collar sets.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
First Floor—Tremont Street

Hair Nets and Hair Pins
Combination 1.00
2 dozen hair nets in single or double mesh; a cabinet of 100 hairpins in assorted sizes, black or bronze color.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
First Floor—Winter Street

Boys' Wash Suits
1.00
Sizes 3 to 8
A WIDE assortment of styles and colors — some of plain colors and some of different combinations.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
Third Floor

Girls' Billie Burkes
8 to 16 yrs. 1.00
THE one-piece pajama style of sleeping garment of crossbar pajama cloth with frog trimming and a pocket.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
Third Floor—Winter Street

Girls' Princess Slips
1.00
WHITE muslin princess slip prettily trimmed. Each style has a dainty ruffle. Trimmings are of lace and hamburg. Sizes 8 to 16.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
Third Floor—Winter Street

Ironing Board Pad and Cover
both for 1.00
A THICK pad to cover your ironing board and a cover that you slip on in a jiffy and lace tightly in place.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
Smallwares—First Floor—Winter Street

1265 Cottage Dresses
1.00
Sizes 36 to 50
EIGHTEEN different styles—ginghams and percales. The percale dresses have light and dark small designs in many colors. In ginghams there are many pretty pin checks and small plaids. One style is made in white cotton linene.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
Second Floor—Winter Street

Washwell Sheets
1.00
Torn Size 81x90 Inches
HEAVY, wearable quality and seamless, too.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
Fourth Floor—Tremont Street

Household Necessities
4 Kinds of Soap—1 Rubber Apron
Soaps and Rubber Apron 1.00
1 package Lux, large. 1 package Rinso, large. 2 cakes Lifebuoy Soap. 2 cakes Lux Toilet Soap. 1 large Rubber Apron.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
First Floor—Winter Street

Cretonne Covered Pillows
1.00
COVERED with good grade of cretonne, four different shapes. Well colored, well filled—and in many different patterns.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
Fifth Floor—Tremont Street

Boys' Blouses
2 for 1.00
Sizes 8 to 15
EXCELLENT materials, cut in good generous sizes, with yoke back, open cuffs; good quality percale. Neat stripe effects with stripes.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
Third Floor

Table Scarfs
1.00
SCARFS, all lace, in a dainty filet design.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
Fourth Floor—Tremont Street

Turkish Bath Towels
4 for 1.00
18x36 Inches
2400 fine quality bath towels. Striped in blue, pink and yellow. A particularly good lot.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
Fourth Floor—Tremont Street

Women's Embroidered Linen Handkerchiefs
6 for 1.00
THESE beautiful handkerchiefs are of fine linen with embroidered corners. Some white and some in solid colors.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
First Floor—Tremont Street

Wool Coatings
1.00 a yard
54 Inches Wide
THE price of this coating is one of the outstanding features of Dollar Day. A wide assortment of patterns, stripes and plaids in many colors.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
Second Floor—Tremont Street

Felt Base Floor Covering
2½ sq. yards for 1.00
POPULAR wood shades for kitchens, etc. Matting effects for chambers and playrooms. Tile effects for bathrooms.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
Fourth Floor—Winter Street

Men's Pajamas
1.00
Sizes 15, 16, 17, 18
COTTON pajamas, in white and solid colors. These pajamas are particularly attractive at this extremely low price.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
First Floor—Winter Street

Cameo Muslin
5 yards for 1.00
36 Inches Wide
A WHITE material, fine for underwear and nightgowns. An exceptionally wearable material.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
Second Floor—Tremont Street

Men's and Women's Cotton Umbrellas
1.00
STRONG, dependable umbrellas with hook handles for men and plain or fancy wooden handles with cord arm swings for women.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
First Floor—Tremont Street

Beautifully Framed Pictures
1.00
10x20—13x16
AN endless variety of fascinating subjects. "Spring Song." "Lone Wolf," old master subjects and landscapes. Toned frames to match.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
Fifth Floor—Tremont Street

Men's Cotton Hose
6 pair for 1.00
Sizes 9½ to 12
MEDIUM weight cotton hose, in black, cordovan, navy and gray. A good value at this low price.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
First Floor—Winter Street

Women's Union Suits
2 for 1.00
WOMEN'S cotton union suits in low neck sleeveless style, knee length. Sizes 38 to 44.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
First Floor—Winter Street

Three Strand Human Hair Switches
1.00
THESE switches are made up in all natural shades — including gray and white.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
Second Floor

Men's Percale Shirts
1.00
13½ to 18
EXCELLENT shirts, either neckband style or with collar attached. Many colors, guaranteed not to fade.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
First Floor—Winter Street

Ber-Dot Sanitary Pads With Sanitary Bloomers
1.00
12 Pads, 1 pr. Bloomers
A COMBINATION offering that presents an interesting value.
ON SALE WEDNESDAY
Smallwares—First Floor—Winter Street

The Shepard Stores

Owners of Broadcasting Station WNAC, Boston

PUZZLES KEEP WOMAN IN A HAPPY MOOD

The tedium of country life in rural districts of New England is relieved by the daily crossword puzzles printed in the Boston Evening American, as described in an interesting letter from a Maine woman.

"I wish I could express to you," she writes, "what your crossword puzzles have done for me. I know I should either have died or gone 'dippy' this Winter if it hadn't been for them."

In addition, this brave, lonely woman, Mrs. Maude M. Irving, who lives near Bangor, says:

WOMAN'S LETTER.

"I was in the hospital for nearly four months, and when I came home I had to stay alone all day and I was not able to get around but a tiny bit. My husband would get coal and I could keep warm until he and the little boy, 11 years, got home from school.

"Some of the girls showed me how to do puzzles and I straightway got so interested in them that I coaxed my husband to let he have the Boston Evening American, and then your prize puzzles started, and I have sent one in nearly every day.

"They all laughed at me and said I could send in a thousand good ones, that I would never win as I lived way down here in Bangor. But I read in the paper where a girl here in Maine won the first prize a short time ago.

"You will laugh, Mr. Editor, when I tell you why they think I will never win one of your prizes. I was born on Friday, the 13th, and that jinx has followed me through all my life. I am unlucky in everything. My husband says I should not think I can win a prize, being born on that date. But I do think I can win one of your prizes. I am going to keep sending them in.

"I never saw my name in a paper yet, only an announcement of my going or coming from a hospital.

"Seriously now, Mr. Editor, would a puzzle that is made out nice and neat with lead pencil stand as good a chance of winning as one that is made out with a typewriter, or with ink? Of course, I have only pencil or ink, but I have red ink now. I sent the boy up town for it because I thought you might think it made the puzzle look nice.

"I hope I haven't taken up too much of your time. I haven't been ouidors since last August and I get kind of blue some times here alone all day. Your puzzles have passed many a long hour for me this Winter and I am going to keep sending them."

Advertisement

Simple Home Mixture Darkens Gray Hair

Cincinnati Barber Tells How to Use Barbo Compound

Any man or woman can easily look twenty years younger by simply darkening their gray, faded, or streaky hair. This is now easy to accomplish with a recipe given by a well known Cincinnati barber.

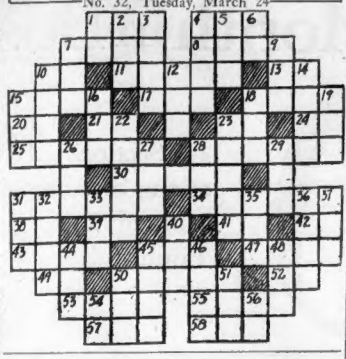
Simply take a half-pint of water, add one ounce of bay rum, ¼ ounce of glycerine and a small box of Barbo Compound. Shake and it is ready to use. These ingredients can be bought at drug stores at trifling cost.

Applied to the hair twice weekly this delightful mixture quickly gives the desired shade. It is easy to use, is not sticky or greasy, will not color the scalp and does not rub off.

Barbo Compound

DAILY PRIZE X-WORD

No. 32, Tuesday, March 24



HORIZONTAL

1—conflate
6—slender shaft of light
7—flowerless plant with feathery leaves
8—deserve
10—sewer
11—member of a South African nomad tribe
12—Preposition
13—small piece of cardboard
17—covert into leather
18—the counterpart of another
20—confectionery
21—ornament
23—parent
26—business organization (abbr.)
27—one who cries
28—disposed
30—serious
31—distant
34—ate away
35—north measure
37—part of verb "to be"
41—word signifying "out of"
42—concerning (abbr.)
43—bubble up
45—conducted
47—very black
48—weight (abbr.)
49—throwers
51—like
52—prepare for publication
54—before and aforetime combined
57—single
58—attempt

VERTICAL

1—you and I
2—bills of fleah
3—small, two-winged flies
4—one in charge
5—lover in Switzerland
6—a twelve-month (abbr.)
7—in behalf of
9—unsolitary
14—gain possession of
15—light, flat implement for natural air
16—dairy
18—bovine quadruped
19—interns for a short time
22—black, viscous, oily substance
24—indites the hand
25—sportsmens
29—River of France
32—chief tree
37—spawn of fish
36—contract
38—suburb of London
39—strength (poet)
40—lubricate
43—showing fear
44—god of love
46—hair
49—necessity produces
50—suffix meaning "in the nature of"
53—ado
55—fractious
56—ilth
58—storage receptacle
59—nobleman's title
54—execute
60—over

DAILY PRIZE PUZZLE No. 32

NAME .....

STREET .....

TOWN OR CITY .....

This coupon MUST be sent in with puzzle solution. Address all replies to the Daily Crossword Puzzle Editor, Boston Evening American, No. 8 Winthrop Square, Boston (8), Mass.

26th Daily Puzzle Prize Winners

(Published Tuesday, March 17.)

FIRST PRIZE—$5

B. C. Woodbury, No. 11 Marlborough street, Boston.

ONE DOLLAR AWARDS

Cayton L'Ecuyer, No. 60 Clark street, Burlington, Vermont.

Ethel B. Franklin, No. 82 Crescent road, Pawtucket, R. I.

E. F. Sullivan, No. 33 Broad street, Boston, Room 70.

Mrs. Carrie E. Mann, No. 766 Main street, Greenwood.

Arthur P. Bove, No. 189 Main street, Putnam, Ct.

WOMAN GETS $10,000 FOR AUTO CRASH INJURIES

Springfield, March 24.—A verdict of $10,000 for personal injuries in an accident case, almost unprecedented by large in local courts, was returned in the suit of Miss Bertha Denault against Cissy Coleman.

The plaintiff was struck by the defendant's automobile just after alighting from a trolley car and thrown against a pole. Three bones were fractured and her face was disfigured.

To Stop a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative BROMO QUININE Tablets. (The First and Original Cold and Grip Tablet.) A safe and Proven Remedy. The box bears signature of E. W. Grove. 30c.—Advt.

Another Exception Morse Value

Heywood-Wakefield REG. U.S. PAT. OFF.

Genuine Reed Stroller, only $7.

Built to Fit the I

"A Quality Seal o Every Wheel"

Body finished in latest c Cafe au Lait or Fawn. finished in Ivory. Seat back upholstered in Leather Cloth, equipped brake and breast strap.

MORSE FURNITURE COMPANY

B. A. McMAHON, Proprietor

827 WASHINGTON STREET

CORNER COMMON ST. ABOVE I

It was Jimmy's Treat

A canny young fellow is Jim. He had four pals to treat and only 5¢ to his name! "A packet of WRIGLEY'S please" said he—and each had a long-lasting treat.

Refreshing, thirst-quenching, digestion-aiding, delicious and beneficial.

Parents:—encourage the youngsters to think of their teeth!

Wrigley's cleanses the crevices between the teeth. It massages the gums, helping to keep them healthy. It combats acid mouth.

so remember:

WRIGLEY'S

"after every meal"

Different Flavors Same Quality

The Flavor Lasts!

Hearts *and* Dollars

Two Statements—one of which has to do with Health and Welfare, the other with Financial Strength

AN OPEN LETTER

(Name on Request)

MR. HALEY FISKE, *President*
METROPOLITAN LIFE INSURANCE CO.
NEW YORK CITY

My Dear Mr. Fiske

Why don't you publish a *Heart Statement* along with the regular Financial Statement you put out each year?

Any company can publish impressive figures of financial strength, financial growth, etc. But figures don't stick. All I remember from your last year's Statement is that the Metropolitan has several million policyholders and is the biggest life insurance company in the world.

I've been following some of your magazine advertisements lately that tell of work you're doing to help people live longer. It isn't entirely clear in my mind just how you're doing it or why you do it, but since you are doing it, *give us the facts and figures on that.* Call it a Heart Statement or a Welfare Statement, or anything you like, but—give us the facts.

Perhaps other Metropolitan policyholders like myself would be interested in a Statement of that kind.

Very truly yours,
C. N. S.——

WE are indebted to Mr. S. for his suggestion. It is an excellent one. We publish an annual Business Statement of the Metropolitan, not because we think that the figures will be remembered, but because they offer conclusive evidence of unusual growth and strength to its 22,000,000 policyholders.

And it is this extraordinary financial strength that makes it possible for the Metropolitan to carry on a nation-wide campaign for better health and longer life.

People now live longer

Records kept by the Metropolitan show an extraordinary decrease in the death rate among its policyholders. Compared with 1911, for example, there were nearly 62,000 fewer deaths in 1924 among its Industrial Policyholders than there would have been if the 1911 death rate had prevailed.

While the average life span in the United States is 5½ years greater than it was 12 years ago, the life span of the Industrial Policyholders of the Metropolitan increased nearly 8½ years—a betterment of three years over the general average—in the same interval.

These increases in longer life are due in large part to the Metropolitan's Health and Welfare Work among its policyholders.

You are the gainer

You and all the other 22,000,000 policyholders—*one* out of every *six* people in the United States and Canada—reap the benefit through better health and decreased cost of Insurance.

The wealth of the Metropolitan belongs to you and to no one else. The Metropolitan has no stock and no stockholders. It is owned solely by its policyholders. You, as one of the policyholders, share in the ownership of all its investments; in its railroad bonds, its real-estate mortgages, its loans to farmers, to states, cities and towns for public improvements and similar enterprises.

You, as a part-owner of over $1,600,000,000, should read the two statements on the left with a feeling of pride in what your company has achieved.

The efforts as well as the assets of the Metropolitan are dedicated to protection against future want—to greater happiness, better health and longer life.

Haley Fiske.
PRESIDENT

Health and Welfare Statement

DECEMBER 31, 1924

Lives saved among Metropolitan Industrial Policyholders since 1911 in excess of mortality improvement for population in general	200,000 people
Saving in death claims since 1911	$40,000,000
Lives saved in 1924 as compared with death rate for 1911	61,958 people
Decline in mortality rate among Metropolitan Industrial Policyholders for all causes of death since 1911	32.1%
Decline in Metropolitan Tuberculosis mortality rate since 1911	53.4%
Decline in Metropolitan Typhoid mortality rate since 1911	80.3%
Decline in Metropolitan Diphtheria mortality rate since 1911	53.1%
Health information through magazine advertisements reached in 1924	50,000,000 people
Health literature distributed free in 1924	40,474,878 copies
Trained nursing care for sick policyholders in 1924	2,565,295 visits
Health examination files shown to	3,000,000 people
Total expenditures for Health and Welfare Work among Policyholders in 1924	$3,027,001.25

Financial Statement

DECEMBER 31, 1924

Assets		$1,628,174,548.20
Liabilities:		
Reinsurance Fund	$1,451,695,897.00	
Reserved for Dividends to Policyholders 1925	52,694,151.49	
Unassigned Funds	91,088,070.71	
All Other Liabilities	32,698,249.00	
		$1,628,174,548.20
Increase in Assets during 1924		196,774,929.93
Income in 1924		457,173,167.10
Gain in Income, 1924		60,861,502.85
Paid-for Insurance Issued, Increased and Revived in 1924		2,515,728,846.00
Gain in Insurance in Force in 1924		1,284,230,701.00
Total Bonuses and Dividends paid or credited to policyholders 1867-1924		215,604,374.13

INSURANCE OUTSTANDING

Ordinary Insurance	$5,307,887,075.00
Industrial (Premiums payable weekly)	4,352,250,399.00
Group	862,347,295.00
Total Insurance Outstanding	10,522,484,769.00
Number of Policies in Force December 31, 1924	32,447,644

METROPOLITAN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY—NEW YORK

Biggest in the World—More Assets, More Policyholders, More Insurance in Force, More New Insurance Each Year

A Mutual Company—Incorporated by the State of New York

JOHN R. MURPHY MENTIONED AS FIN. COM. HEAD

dge Sullivan's Written Resignation to Be Sent Governor Soon

John R. Murphy, former chairman of the Boston Finance Commission and political foe of Mayor ames M. Curley, is today being discussed as the most likely candidate succeed Judge Michael H. Sullivan, who has announced his intention of resigning as chairman of commission.

The State House is silent on the matter and will remain so until Judge Sullivan has formally placed his resignation in the hands of Governor Fuller, which will not be for several days.

The friends of Murphy, however, are already on the job and are rallying up what support they can muster and bringing all possible influence to bear on the Governor.

Judge Sullivan's announcement of his impending resignation did not come as a surprise to the political leaders in Boston. The Judge, some time ago, announced that he was anxious to return to private life that he could devote all his attention to his law practice, which has suffered lamentably since he accepted the chairmanship of the Finance Commission, five years ago.

The Judge made an informal call on Governor Fuller at the State House and announced his intention of resigning. He told the Governor that within a few days he would submit his written resignation, permitting the Governor, meanwhile, to look for a suitable man to name in his place.

OVIE MAN IS SOUGHT IN TANGLE

Ovi Oliver, in charge of a moving picture being shown in Boston, and who was married Monday to Lillian Leroy Roche, an actress of the name of Hellis, is being sought by officials of the marriage registry department at City Hall, aided by the police.

The marriage bureau officials are not satisfied with the way in which Oliver answered the questions regarding his former marital status.

When Oliver and Miss Roche filled out their marriage intention blank, Oliver failed to file papers showing in what manner he was freed from a previous marriage. The couple obtained a waiver of the five-day law from Judge John A. Bennett of the Municipal Court and were married by Joseph A. Callahan, assistant registrar.

Shortly after the ceremony, Callahan became suspicious. He investigated and started a search for Oliver, who in the meantime had disappeared with his bride.

The police have been consulted and every effort is being made to locate Oliver that he may be given an opportunity to straighten out his record at the marriage license bureau.

COAL DEALER EXPLAINS EARLY CUT IN PRICE

Edward Hamlin, president of the Metropolitan Coal Company, commenting on the somewhat early reduction in prices made by his company today, stated that he was following the example set by the wholesale companies. The retail companies usually make their reductions in April, but this year, partly due to the mild Winter, but mostly due to the desire to stimulate early buying because of the possible trouble that may be in connection with the expiration of the miners' wage agreement on Summer, they have made the reduction now. He also understands that all the miners companies have agreed on a uniform standard of anthracite coal, both as to preparation and as to sizing, so that we may expect a more uniform and satisfactory coal in consequence.

SOMERVILLE MAN HELD AFTER AUTO ACCIDENT

Nashua, N. H., March 24.—Louis T. Sirois of No. 24 Kingston street, Somerville, Mass., was arrested here for operating an automobile while under the influence of liquor, after he had wrecked his machine and narrowly escaped injury.

Sirois was driving toward Nashua, and just after passing the Country Club his machine left the highway, hit a stone post, cut up the lawn at the home of W. C. Leahy and then crashed into a stone wall. Sirois was extricated from the wreckage and found to be uninjured. The car was almost a complete wreck.

SENATE CONSIDERS JAIL FOR DRUNK DRIVERS

It is expected the State Senate today will take up the bill passed last week by the House providing that persons found guilty of second and subsequent offenses of driving automobiles while under the influence of liquor be committed to jail.

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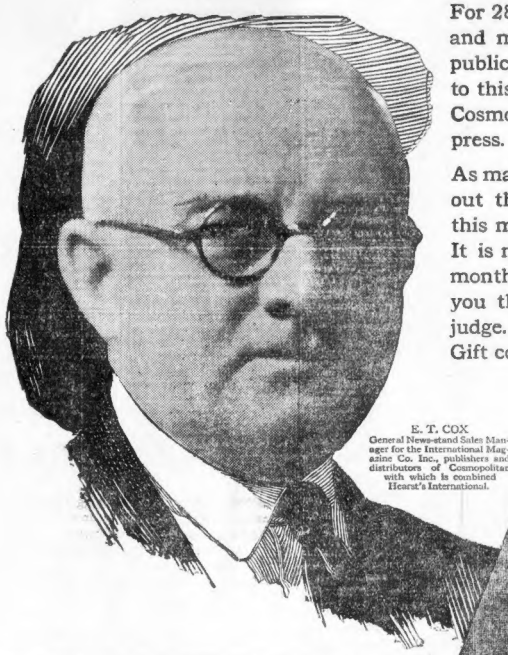

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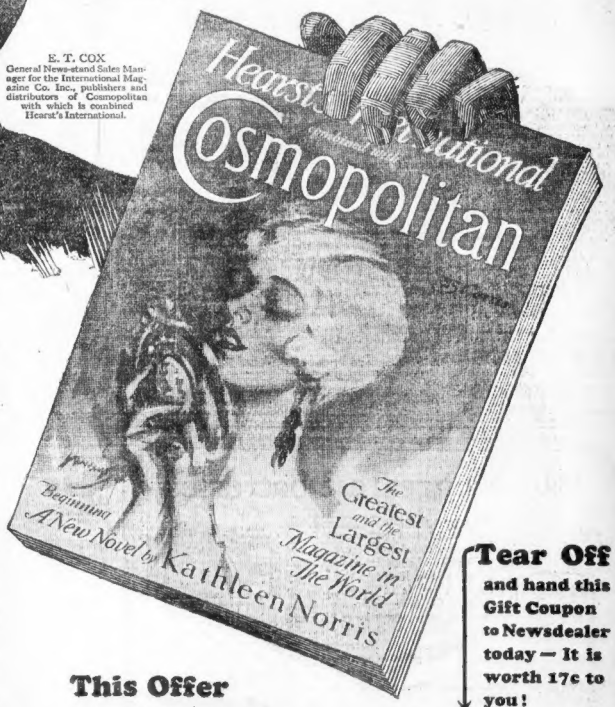
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The WNAC American Women's Club Talks are on the air now at 10:45 a. m.

Martha Lee at 10:45 a. m. today will give her talk on "Eat and Grow Slim."

LISTENING IN TONIGHT

The diversity of those indefinable spirits who devise the programs for the daily broadcasts some 333 days a year is something to marvel about. Just analyze the programs any day during the week and you will wonder how it is possible to obtain such diverse programs with the limitations that restrict broadcasting.

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WNAC offers something unusual tonight at 8 p. m. It is the Camp Fire Girls' half-hour with Tarentum Camp Fire Girls of Augusta, giving "A Day at Camp," and camp songs. Not a thriller, by any means, but it will afford a very pleasant half-hour's diversion and many will listen in.

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John Coolidge, son of the President of the United States, radio listeners in Vermont and New England will be no stranger to him when he speaks tonight at 8 o'clock from Amherst College, in a broadcast from Station WIP, Philadelphia, Thursday afternoon, March 26, at 4 o'clock.

The clubs are making their annual Easter vacation stop.

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The department of commerce will not attempt to regulate the manner in which a station announces itself on the air, but it will issue a new requirement to that call letters be repeated at intervals.

Many complaints have been received by the department regarding the growing practice of simultaneously the name of the city from announcements.

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Important broadcast patent rights are involved in a legal battle on today in the United States District Court in Philadelphia before Judge John Whitaker Thompson, between two radio manufacturers.

The plaintiff is the De Forest Radio Telephone & Telegraph Company, which is seeking to have declared invalid the patent issued for an oscillating audion declared valid, and a similar patent owned by the Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Company, declared invalid.

The suit is only one of a number that have been started in the different such other in the various courts, including New York, Delaware and Washington. There are yet other suits pending in this district between the parties.

The De Forest company claims it was granted by the United States Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia upholding the De Forest patent. The Westinghouse company maintains the United States Court of Appeals of New York has sustained the Edwin H. Armstrong patent No. 1,113,149, issued in 1914.

The case before Judge Thompson hinges on the question whether De Forest or Armstrong was the original inventor of the oscillating audion. It was asserted that both the New York Court and the District of Columbia Court of Appeals had upheld the validity of the patents in which suit will be decided by Judge Thompson.

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LOCAL STATIONS

280.2 — WNAC, SHEPARD STORES, BOSTON

10:00 A. M.—Mme. Sembrich, Mrs. E. Phillips Holt, pastor Church of the New Jerusalem.
11:00 A. M.—WNAC Aeolian Women's Quartet.
Luncheon Intermezzo, courtesy of Boston Store, Shepard Stores.
2:00 P. M.—Mme. Florence Hinkle, soprano, Mme. Olga Steeb, pianist.
3:00 P. M.—Concert by Shepard Stores Symphony Orchestra.
4:00 P. M.—Mme. Anna Fitziu, soprano, Mme. Olga Steeb, pianist.
5:00 P. M.—Concert by Shepard Stores Symphony Orchestra.
6:00 P. M.—Dinner Music, Shepard Stores Symphony Orchestra.
7:00 P. M.—Mme. Florence Hinkle, soprano, Mme. Olga Steeb, pianist.
8:00 P. M.—Concert by Shepard Stores Symphony Orchestra.
9:00 P. M.—Mme. Anna Fitziu, soprano, Mme. Olga Steeb, pianist.
10:00 P. M.—Concert by Shepard Stores Symphony Orchestra.

HERALD-TRAVELER STUDIO, BOSTON

6:00 P. M.—Lecture on U. S. Navy, by Lieut. Commander Frederick Moore, U. S. N.
6:30 P. M.—Concert by Herald-Traveler Orchestra, Frederick Moore, director.
7:00 P. M.—Lecture on U. S. Navy, by Lieut. Commander Frederick Moore, U. S. N.
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HOTEL KIMBALL STUDIO BOSTON

6:00 P. M.—Dinner concert by the Kimball Trio, Mrs. Ethel Kimball Bigelow, violinist; Miss Mary Kimball, cellist; Miss Ruth Kimball, pianist.
7:00 P. M.—Dinner concert by the Kimball Trio.

TIME TO TUNE TO

WNAC (280.2) BOSTON	1:30 P. M.
WEAF (492.0) NEW YORK	1:30 P. M.
WJAR (305.9) PROVIDENCE	1:30 P. M.
WGY (379.5) SCHENECTADY	1:30 P. M.
WCAP (469.7) WASHINGTON	1:30 P. M.
WWJ (352.7) DETROIT	1:30 P. M.
WSAI (325.9) CINCINNATI	1:30 P. M.
WCCO (416.4) MINNEAPOLIS	1:30 P. M.
WOC (483.6) DAVENPORT	1:30 P. M.
WOS (440.9) JEFFERSON CITY	1:30 P. M.
WSB (428.3) ATLANTA	1:30 P. M.
WHAS (399.8) LOUISVILLE	1:30 P. M.
WSM (282.8) NASHVILLE	1:30 P. M.
WFAA (475.9) DALLAS	1:30 P. M.
KOA (322.4) DENVER	1:30 P. M.
KPO (428.3) SAN FRANCISCO	1:30 P. M.

Treaty Signed

Washington, March 24.—Formal exchanges of ratification of the Isle of Pines treaty took place at the State Department, Secretary Kellogg and Minister Cruz of Cuba affixing their signatures to the documents on behalf of the American and Cuban governments.

BAKER BLAMED FOR HUGE POSTAL CARD SHORT.

Washington, March 24.—The shortage of the third sanitarium of the contemporary declared that [illegible] in the Boston office was due to [illegible] failure of the postmaster to make requisition soon enough rather than [illegible] of the supply of postal cards also here. Five hundred thousand postcards are on the way to Boston to relieve the shortage and another [illegible] probably will arrive tomorrow.

The Postoffice Department today received word from the Boston office on Saturday that it was out of postcards. A rush order to an agency in Philadelphia and 100,000 cards were sent out from there Saturday night.

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AMUSEMENTS

SELWYN — TAKE 48 — Sun. 2:15 Mon. 8:15, Wed. & Sat. 2:15 — LAST TIMES — POP. MATINEE TODAY — LEON GORDON in his own play — "WHITE CARGO" — NEXT MON. EVE. SEATS NOW — NACK, HILLIARD Offers A NEW MYSTERIOUS COMEDY — THE FOUR-FLUSHER — With RUSSELL MACK — And Notable Supporting Cast

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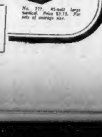

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Ward William J. Kelly of the police department has been appointed probation officer by Judge Malden District Court, the board to become effective on the Probation Officer Hilliard [illegible] as a [illegible]

W. C. BEECHER STRICKEN ON RAILROAD TRAIN

New York, March 24.—William C. Beecher, lawyer and son of the late Henry Ward Beecher, is confined to his bed in his Brooklyn apartment as the result of a stroke suffered on a "limited" train yesterday. He was returning home from Florida when stricken on the train.

SHEPHERD CASE DECISION BY TONIGHT

Chicago, March 24 (I.N.S.).—Prediction on hand by daylight or a call to the jurors' room for the nine months' period pending his trial on charges of murder for the death of William Nathan McCullough.

Judge Harry B. Miller, presiding over the Shepherd trial in Criminal Court building facing Wells-st., Monday morning, March 30, and begins their closing plea for the defense. This is the opening day of the third day of the hearing of his motion for bail.

All witnesses have been heard. Attorneys for both sides have rested their cases. There remains only the brief debate between the opposing attorneys.

Attorney William S. Stewart, chief of Shepherd's counsel, will base his argument for Shepherd's release on bail on the fact that the majority of the State's evidence against his client bore a personal interest in the matter. Said the "Fox" Charles C. Painter, star State witness and co-defendant of Shepherd, has an "unsavory reputation and that the testimony of Shepherd's daughter is faulty in that it illegally defines typhoid germs as a poison and that Shepherd is not a druggist with diabetes.

In answer to this, State's Attorney Robert E. Crowe will hold up the testimony of Dr. Arthur Dean Bevan, noted surgeon, in which he charges Shepherd in a score of different ways with being a confirmed typhoid fever germs to the customers, bringing about his death.

ACCUSED OF THEFT, CHARGES 'FRAME-UP'

Held for theft of coin box, Miss Catharine "Bubby" Miller of Gloucester stoutly protests her innocence and charges she is the victim of a frame-up.

N. E. CHILDREN IN LIMERICK CONTESTS

New England children are participants daily Limerick tournament.

This is shown by the letters received by the Limerick Editor. One from eleven-year-old Mary E. Osborne, of 274 Bast Second street, South Boston, reads as follows:

"I have been looking noble to be not try the Limerick. At last she said I could. She tried other [illegible] self and failed. I think the American is great fun."

Another from James Coyle, of 16 Lenox street, Dorchester, follows:

WANTS SCHOOL FUND.

"I am sending in a line to see if I can win the prize for Limericks. Of course, I am not very old, you know, but I am going to graduate in June from Grammar school. I would like to win some money so as to pay my way through some business school."

Walter L. Calburn, of 17 Peter street, Cambridge, who won a prize recently, informs us that he has been a reader of the American for the past nineteen years in various districts conducted by this newspaper.

His letter follows:

"Thanks for the theatre tickets awarded me in your Limerick contest. My wife and I enjoyed the evening very much."

WINS 16 PRIZES.

"In March, 1906, nineteen years ago, the first limerick contest of which I have any knowledge was run by the Boston American. I was a contestant in that and in the next day. The subject was John L. Sullivan, and contestants were requested to make up the entire limerick. The one daily prize was $2.

"It was very appropriate that we should be your guests at this nineteenth anniversary of your first contest. I have brought and read the Limerick Editor's letter to the class, especially your Cambridge edition, which is the best paper we have ever had in Cambridge. Since that first contest in March, 1906, I have had the pleasure of winning cash prizes in your unique contests seven times, so I can truthfully say it is profitable as well as great fun. Wishing you the success of the Boston Evening American."

GIRL WRESTLER HELD AS NORTH SHORE LOOTER

Salem, March 24.—Tarbaffee "Bubby" Miller, widely known women wrestler, who was held in $500 bail in municipal March 21 on charges of rifling the coin box of the Hamilton-Wenham railroad station, [illegible]

The coin box was broken on the night of February 16, according to the station agent he heard a smashing sound in the station as a train passed on that night and then saw a man and a woman leave. The man had a bundle beneath one arm. The agent gave chase to an automobile.

As a result of the young woman, who is but 19 years old, was the result of an investigation conducted by Hamilton police, Detective A. Mazza refused detectives.

Miss Miller lives in Gloucester was one of those visited by the Hamilton police. She pleaded not guilty.

The police are trying to establish a connection between the young woman and a gang operating out of Gloucester. It is known to have a woman leader or mistress. Several other cases have been solved during the past month. Those who have been arrested followed the delivery by boys of a broken telephone coin box. A machine which was followed to Gloucester also directed suspicion on her. Miss Miller owns two automobiles.

MRS. ELIZABETH VOLK IS DEAD, AGED 81 YEARS

Mrs. Elizabeth Volk, 81 years old, widow of Frederick Volk, died today at Roxbury, died today. She was a resident of that district for fifty-four years.

She is survived by her husband, Frederick Volk, and two sons, William and Joseph. The latter is well known in the local theatrical profession.

OFFICIALS OPEN MINE BLAST PROBE; 4 HELD

Pittston, Pa., March 24.—An official investigation to determine the cause of the explosion which wrecked Mine No. 41 of the Bethlehem Coal Corporation a week ago, with the loss or thirty-three lives, began today after coroners of the last victims of the disaster had completed their inquests of the nine men who died in the mine and with a report that the mine war have been caused by [illegible] in [illegible] resulting on a non-union basis prevailed.

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Whole store to choose from
Druggist's wife picks REM for Coughs for own child
Mr. C. Clayton Eberly, who runs the drug-store at Norris & Marvine Sts., Philadelphia, was being kept on the jump one day filling prescriptions.
His wife came in, all worried because of their child's cough.
Seeing her husband up to his neck in work, she didn't disturb him, but went behind the counter herself and reached for a bottle of REM.
According to Mr. Eberly, it proved a lucky choice.
"We used REM by chance last winter.
"My youngest had a hard cough and my wife was worried. It was on a busy Saturday, and I was up to my neck filling prescriptions and waiting on customers. She hated to disturb me when I was so busy, so seeing REM on the shelf, she got a bottle. She gave it to the child and I'm glad to say it relieved the cough right away.
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So many who have tried REM speak of the quick relief it brings.
This quick action is largely due to a special ingredient—effective, harmless—not found in ordinary cough syrups. Clinging to your throat as it is swallowed, REM quickly begins its work of quieting your cough.
No Opiates in REM. And pleasant to take.
Ask your druggist for REM—the blue package with the round orange label. If it doesn't help you, you can have your money back. Fair enough!
Introductory size bottle, only 60c
Economy size, $1.00

INCOMPLETE PRIZE JINGLE No. 32

(Published Tuesday, March 24)

"Red Indians in Pilgrim days,
Got booze in the usual ways,
Bootleggers lived then
And, according to "Hen,"

.....
(Write your own last line here)

Name .....

Street ..... City .....

Prizes: $5, $3, $2 for the three best lines. Contest conducted, according to Prof. Brady W. Limerick, Jr., of Connecticut College.

26th Daily Limerick Prize Winners

(PUBLISHED TUESDAY, MARCH 17)

FIRST PRIZE—$5

Mrs. M. S. McDonald, No. 1891 Centre street, Roslindale.

SECOND AND THIRD PRIZES—$3 EACH

Mrs. L. E. Goulding, No. 13 Cardwell avenue, Whitman.
Mrs. H. M. Bennett, P. O. Box 12, Everett street, Middleboro.
Margaret Chickering, No. 481 Park avenue, Worcester.
Lillian M. Tilton, No. 171 State street, Augusta, Maine.
Mary A. Furst, No. 282 North Main street, Natick.
Daniel Murphy, 1 Bowdoin square, Haverhill.
Frank Dorman, No. 42 Moraine street, Brockton.
Miss Emma Shaw Lane, Hale House, Garland street, Boston.
Alba Fraser, No. 714 Beach street, Revere.
J. J. Keane, No. 1026 Washington street, Jamaica Plain.
Miss Ruth S. Ormond, No. 48 Fairview avenue, Waltham.
Mr. J. E. Stults, No. 24 Greylock road, Allston.
Irene L. Dalton, No. 772 Broadway, Cambridge.
Nanon Wintrop, No. 102 Hennessey street, Boston.
Rose A. Richard, No. 24 York street, Andover.

WINNING "LAST LINE" For Limerick No. 26

(Published Tuesday, March 17)

First prize of $25 won by Mrs. M. S. McDonald, No. 1891 Centre Street, Roslindale, with "last line" printed below:

On March seventeenth, shamrocks green,
To an Irishman always will mean
Thoughts of that smiling isle,
Where there is no such guile,
As would fret e'en the fairest colleen.

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'PASSING SHOW' BRIGHT AND TUNEFUL

By NICHOLAS YOUNG.

MUSICAL revue, from whatever source, follows a hard and tried formula. None of the familiar ingredients were missing in "The Passing Show" at the Shubert last evening, but the creators of this 1924 edition at least exercised a fair measure of ingenuity in doing the old things in new ways.

By all structural rules a Passing Show demands a foundation of art studies in the nude, festooned in various fetching arrangements on pedestals, back drops and scattered about the scenery generally. None of this was omitted; nor was there any curtailment in scenic embellishment, frisky vaudeville, patter and chatter and other items that play hand in hand with Winter Garden shows. But always in evidence was the saving grace of a new touch or a freshened bit of color to give background to the frolicsome fun turned in by Billy B. Van, Jack Rose and George LeMaire.

By its comedy alone this Passing Show may be set apart from its big and little brothers of the past. Art and beauty and flying legs played their part, but comedy dominated entertainment. Mr. Van, having his first experience with musical revue, seemed bent on making it a jovial expedition. Over a long stretch of years he has been practicing elementary comedy—buffoonery. More of a clown than a comedian, and relying upon smart quips, grotesque make-up and a knowing wink, he turned the evening into a small riot of laughter.

Sharing honors and labor with Mr. Van was Jack Rose, one of that species of one-man entertainers that flits between revue and vaudeville and carries his workshop with him. Such laughs and snickers Van had left unused on the upholstered side of the house Mr. Rose extracted by a wholesale destruction of straw hats and an intimate across-the-footlights chatter, in which everyone might have joined.

The Laugh Maker

Billy B. Van, noted comedian, who is appearing in the "Passing Show" at the Shubert Theatre. Van made a great hit with the first night audience by his drolleries and his grotesque makeup.

'LITTLE JESSE JAMES' SCORES ONCE MORE

It is seldom a musical comedy returns to Boston for its second engagement in the same season, but "Little Jesse James," which is settled back in the Wilbur for a two weeks' engagement is apparently here to repeat the marked success the piece scored with Hub audiences earlier in the season.

There is a combination of reasons for the popularity of "Little Jesse James." The music is catchy, the lyrics are clever, the chorus has a snappy job to perform—and does it.

There is an unusual feature about this musical comedy—it has a distinct plot which runs through the piece from beginning to end, which adds to the enjoyment. The comedy lines are funny and John Hufty as "Tommy Tinker," a skin-free irresponsible young moron of the 1925 edition, much addicted to the entertainment of the opposite sex, keeps the audience convulsed.

The female portion of the show, around which the entire comedy revolves, is an eye-filling and pulse-quickening combination of pulchritude. Laura Hamilton, as "Little Jessie James," the heart-smashing flapper who learned her lines on Main street, is clever and very easy to look at.

While the chorus, the comedy and the soloists are good, the "James Boys," who operate in the pit, add no small part to the success of the show. The "James Boys" comprise a Paul Whiteman band and under the direction of Paul Parnell, this jazzy combination needs no apology from Mr. Whiteman.

"ROLLING HOME" PLEASES ST. JAMES AUDIENCE

A very amusing comedy, "Rolling Home," by John Hunter Booth, was presented at the St. James Theatre last evening. The play is distinctly American, a sort of "Turn to the Right," and "Get Rich Wallingford."

The plot concerns the adventures of Nathaniel Alden, who leaves Lower Falls, Mass., and is gone for six years. During his travels he thinks he has struck it rich two or three times and wires this information home without correcting the impression when his dreams are punctured.

SOMERVILLE PLAYERS PRESENT "THE FOOL"

Channing Pollock's sensational uplift drama, "The Fool," was given more than adequate presentation at the Somerville Theatre last evening. For this engagement Manager McArdle brought into his company the talented Mary Walsh, who played the role of Mary Margaret for twenty-seven consecutive weeks with the Chicago company a year ago. She made a splendid impression last evening.

STAR VAUDEVILLE AND PICTURES AT ORPHEUM

An entertaining bill of vaudeville was given at Loew's Orpheum Theatre yesterday. "The Arkansas Valentines," in the persons of Fee Woo Myers, and Ford Hanford, proved as popular as ever, and Cardo and Noll gave much amusement with their superb presentation. "The Co-Eds," with Gaile Beverly, a popular Boston girl, daughter of Captain Nelson H. Goss, long stationed at the Charlestown Navy Yard, as the featured performer, was well received. It presented some very clever dancing and some excellent choral selections.

The photoplay feature was also good entertainment. It was a screen version of the stage play, "Cheaper to Marry."

"KID BOOTS" PRODUCER SEES SHOW IN BOSTON

Edward Royce, who produced "Sally," "Annie Dear," "Kid Boots," now running at the Colonial Theatre, as well as "Louis 14th," Leon Errol's latest starring vehicle, is in town to give "Kid Boots" the "once over."

Mr. Royce has a record of no failures, which is due to the fact that he refuses to stage any production unless he approves of the book of the play which must be submitted to him before he affixes his name to a contract.

'SACKCLOTH AND SCARLET' FEATURE FILM AT STATE

"Sackcloth and Scarlet" was the photoplay offering at Loew's State Theatre yesterday. The story is an adaptation of George Gibb's novel. The scenes are laid in Lake Louise, Canada; in a little village in Brittany, New York and Washington, D. C.

Coming Events

"The Four Flusher" will be the attraction at the Selwyn next Monday.

"Mary's Ankle" will be next week's attraction at the St. James.

"The Girl from Yonder" will take the stage at the Somerville next week.

"The Dressmaker from Paris" will be the film feature at the Fenway beginning next Saturday.

"Rose Maria" will move into the Shubert on Monday, April 13.

"Music Box Revue" will follow "Kid Boots" at the Colonial, arriving Monday, April 13.

"Barbara Lee," by the Fliess Cooperative Association, will occupy the Tremont for two weeks, beginning Monday, April 13.

Richard Dix in "Too Many Kisses" will be shown at Loew's State Theatre next week.

Mae Murray in "Circe the Enchantress" is announced as the film feature at the Orpheum next week.

BENNY LEONARD IS PLEASING AT KEITH'S

The magnet of his name, lightweight champion boxer of the world given Benny Leonard at the head of the bill at Keith's this week, while Benny fails to knock out his opponents as a vaudevillian, his act is pleasing.

Eclipsing Leonard and his partners as a real attraction is a musical comedy sketch billed as "Doctor" Rockwell and Wilson. His humorous chatter is unique and incessant and his satirical comment on the foibles of modern medicine hits the bull's eye unfailingly.

Three other acts stand out in this bill. These are a small colored company headed by "Ledova" in a miniature revue, and the two Merediths in a fine-room stepping, and the Rockwell acrobats in some rare tumbling.

Cutter Off for Banks

More than usual, the United States Coast Guard cutter Tampa, Captain H. G. Fisher, left here for the Grand Banks of Newfoundland,

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A HOME PAPER FOR THE PEOPLE WHO THINK

BOSTON, TUESDAY, MARCH 24, 1925

SECOND SECTION

The Story Thus Far

J. B. HARDIMAN owned the house at Ryecock. Mrs. Nancy Adams lived in it. Overnight, Barbara Brown found herself strangely mistress of the house. Hardiman summoned Barbara's landlady and whispered certain instructions to her. Then Kurt Scheurer came to the house to talk over his symphonic tone poem, only to find that Mrs. Adams was gone. Barbara wrote to her father in the South Seas. Nan's husband stole the letter. Hardiman takes Barbara to an all-night cabaret.

THE dinner was a growing, hypnotized ritual. And Hardiman was surprisingly entertaining. With her third cocktail Barbara swallowed the discovery that he was not as dull as she suspected. With the Pommard she knew he was clever, nay, brilliant. The waiters were darlings. She wanted to excuse herself, run to the kitchen and kiss the chef. She wanted to kiss somebody—anybody—even Hardiman. Thus coursed sophist wine to the brain of babbling Barbara.

"I want to see a show," she blurted suddenly.

"I've arranged for that." His conceit was a boy's.

"I want to see the cathedral thing over as the Century. The one with the nuns in it. I want to see something with nuns in it."

"I've seats for the Follies."

"Great! Nuns! The Follies!"

Sharkey drove them through carnival streets to the Follies. Barbara's head swam. Fireworks! Pinwheels of pink girl! Who's a paude? Give us the moo-oo-hoon! Tadeeyah spoon-oo-hoon! That was no lady, that was my wife! Give us pain-killer for this ache called li-hi-hi-hife!

"I've got to stay drunk," Barbara decided, lucidly, vinously.

She caught Hardiman watching with connoisseur eyes the

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HELD, CHARGED WITH THEFT FROM LANDLADY

Arthur Doody, thirty years old, was held in $500 today when arraigned on charges of larceny of $33 and pawn tickets for jewelry from his landlady, Mrs. Katherine Leonard of No. 308 Columbus avenue. Doody pleaded that he be released on his own recognizance to attend the funeral of his brother in New York tomorrow.

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN GETS 6 MONTHS' REPRIEVE

New York, March 24.—Madison Square Garden, sentenced to be razed May 6 by its owners, the New York Life Insurance Company, which plans to erect an office building on the site, has been granted a reprieve until December. Scarcity of structural steel for use in the construction of the proposed skyscraper is responsible for the decision to delay tearing down the old garden.

WILSON GIVES COPS LAST WARNING

'Jazz' Girl Slayer to Be Kept Off Witness Stand

HUB 'SMEDLEY BUTLER' IS AFTER SHIRKERS

Alas, the poor policemen. The iron was thrust deep in their souls on Saturday and today the police commissioner reached out and gave it a sly little twist.

Now there must be no more sudden garage "wakes," ahin roasts, rubstables or dugouts of any kind eligible to the weary tootsies of the pavement pounders—or at least, that's the commissioner's declaration made known today to his wearers of the blue and brass.

Further than that, the police "Four Horsemen," led by Lieutenant William Livingston, Boston's own "Smedley Butler," have been seconded on the route men and there's no telling just where the horsemen will be roving.

SERGEANTS ON TRAIL.

The "Four Horsemen" jumped from one to four, when three sergeants were given to Livingston as aides in his work of "spotting."

Commissioner Wilson announced that today's was the last warning to boys who refuse to take their jobs seriously and get out of the trenches not only before Christmas, but even long before that.

"There will be no more chances given to any man found shirking his duty," declared the commissioner.

The men on night watches have been doing less than seven hours' tour of duty in the past, but now they will do seven full hours on the street, according to the commissioner.

COPPERS BEST BEWARE!

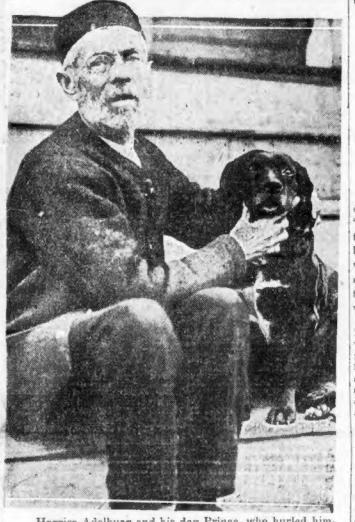
The new department, he pointed out, has had five years in which to shake itself down and become acclimated, so if the cops err now—well, there isn't going to be no Santa Claus, that's all.

Lieutenant Livingston, he of the roving commission, will be apt to pop up anywhere and ride a shirker down. Cops, beware!

Robbers Get $9,000

Irvington, N. J., March 24.—Three robbers blackjacked John Schaefer, Irvington Trust Company messenger, and escaped with the bank's money bag containing $9,000.

DOG DRIVES HOLDUP MAN FROM STORE



Harriss Adelburg and his dog Prince, who hurled himself against a bandit when latter drew a gun in Adelberg's store on Bryant street, Malden. The holdup man fled, without securing the contents of the cash register.

A German police dog owned by Harriss Adelberg, who conducts a store at No. 892 Bryant street, Malden, prevented his mistress from being held up by a bandit who entered the store and, at the point of a revolver, demanded the money from the cash register.

The dog, unnoticed by the bandit, was in the rear of the store. When the animal saw the revolver, he heurled himself on the intruder, who run from the store, slamming the door in the dog's face.

The man was described as five feet six inches in height and wearing a dark suit and a light cap. He is believed to be the man who has conducted hold-ups in Malden within the last three weeks.

EXPOSES BOGUS GEM AUCTIONS

Pearls Listed at $20 Worth Only $1.25, Expert Appraiser Reveals

A jewelry expert found on examination that a string of "pearls" represented by one of the Boston "auction sharks" to be valued at $20, was actually worth only $1.25. Other articles were found to be proportionately over-estimated in value.

Those who have patronized "Oak Minte" realized they had been "stung" as soon as they inspected purchases, but were curious to know how badly. Merchandise and jewelry sold by this gentry are especially made for the fake auction trade, dolled up and camouflaged to deceive the eye.

FRAUD IN EVERY CASE.

In order to determine just how badly the public has been gypped by fraudulent auctioneers, extensive purchases of this "jewelry" and other merchandise were made and examined by six appraising committee of experts appointed by Ellis Gifford of Fall River, president of the Massachusetts Retail Jewelers' Association. Some of the findings.

FRUIT BOWL—Represented by the auctioneer to be "Sheffield, heavily silver plated, worth $18.50," was reported by the appraising committee as "Not Sheffield, not heavily silver plated and not worth $18.50."

NOT MADE IN ENGLAND.

STRING PEARL BEADS—Represented by auctioneer to be "pearls, solid platinum clasp, won't peel, worth $18.50, clasp worth $5." Appraised as imitation pearls, clasp not platinum and not worth $5, would peel, necklace not worth $18.50.

BRUSHES—Represented as "sterling silver monogram plate, genuine badger bristles, inspected under Pure Food and Drug Acts." Appraisal—"No sterling silver monogram plate, bristles not badger hair, no inspection under Pure Food and Drug Acts."

TABLEWARE SET—Represented as "Silver set, Sheffield silver. Made in England." Appraisal—"Not silver, is silver plated, not Sheffield ware and not made in England."

WATCH—Represented as "18 karat gold, full jewelled, worth $40." Appraised as "Not 18 karat gold, is jewel unadjusted, not worth $40."

PEN AND PENCIL SET—Represented as "Solid gold, worth $15." Appraised as "Not solid gold and not worth $15."

DOGUS "SHEFFIELD."

DINNERWARE SET—Represented as "14 karat solid gold, worth $5." Appraised as "Not solid gold and not worth $5."

PENCIL — Represented as "14 karat solid gold, worth $5." Appraised as "Not solid 14 karat gold and not worth $5."

BEADS—Represented as "pearls, sterling silver clasp, set with diamond sapphire." Appraised as "Imitation pearls, clasp not sterling silver, stone in clasp not sapphire or diamond but glass, value not $16."

FLORIDA FIRE VICTIMS GET BACK VALUABLES

West Palm Beach, Fla., March 24.—Valuable personal property removed from the vault of the Breakers Hotel, recently destroyed by fire, was being distributed to the owners today. Two workmen completed the task of battering through the heavy door of the vault. Several hundred persons were present when the door finally gave way and revealed that stocks, bonds, jewelry, laces and other valuables had not been damaged. Mrs. Jesse L. Livermore, New York, was elated when she discovered that $2,000 worth of laces in a safety deposit box were intact.

DEFENCE PLANS ARE REVEALED

Purpose Is to Force State's Hand in Dorothy Ellingson Case

San Francisco, March 24 (I. N. S.).—Dorothy Ellingson will not take the stand in her own behalf. The story of the slaying of her mother, because the latter would not let her go to a "jazz" party, will not come from the lips of the sixteen-year-old girl it was learned today.

Her counsel have decided to keep her from the stand and will battle against the introduction of her confession by the State.

They will endeavor to force the State to present a circumstantial case. There were no witnesses to the shooting of Annie Ellingson, mother of the girl.

The State will reconstruct through police testimony as far as possible the shooting in the little Fourth avenue cottage, the flight of the girl, her betrayal by one of her male friends, and her arrest, then endeavor to place in evidence against her the confession Dorothy made to police officers.

If Dorothy is emotion-swept, she shows no sign of it. She is silent and almost motionless as she sits at the table beside her counsel. She moves only when spoken to. She betrays no interest in the courtroom proceedings, has no eyes for the crowd, and gives the jury only an occasional glance.

CANDLE FIRES STORE; POLICE PROBE BLAZE

A lighted candle burning in a heap of dripping waste met the astonished gaze of Patrolman William McLoughlin today when he went into Charles Vella's store at No. 428 Salem street, Medford, to investigate.

McLoughlin's entry was prompted by the discovery that the door was ajar and apparently had been forced.

Before he could seize the candle the lighted end dropped into the waste and the whole store became a mass of flame.

The policeman made a hasty exit and turned in an alarm.

When the firemen arrived the flames were everywhere, and it required an hour's brisk work to get them under control. The damage to the building and store contents was about $5,000, partly covered by insurance, according to the owners.

McLaughlin has informed State police assigned to the case that he is sure he smelled kerosene in the store. He further said the interior of the place was in disorder.

LONE BOOTLEG CAUGHT IN N. Y. POLICE ROUNDUP

New York, March 24.—The police department's secret roundup of crooks and criminals yielded one lone individual with a criminal record at the lineup at headquarters today, and he said he was "making an honest living bootlegging." He is Harry ("Connecticut Blackie") Blake, fifty-nine, who has served in penitentiaries in at least four States. His latest term was four years at Atlanta for blowing a postoffice safe at Belmore, L. I. Since his release last December, he said, he has been engaged in selling rum.

$40,000 Stamps Stolen

Chicago, March 24.—The Valparaiso, Ind., postoffice was robbed of postage and revenue stamps valued at $40,000 by safe blowers early today, the detective bureau here was notified by the Valparaiso police chief.

PROSPERITY IS HERE TO STAY, MELLON SAYS

Washington, March 24.—Cabinet members at today's regular session with President Coolidge agreed, generally, in predicting a continuance of business prosperity.

Secretary Mellon said a high rate of production and consumption would be maintained in the United States for an indefinite period.

There has been some recession of speculative activities in the stock markets and on the grain exchanges, but the fact is not regarded by the administration as important to the conduct of average business.

Secretary Davis of the Labor Department reported that while there is some unemployment it is not above normal, for the season.

MUSSOLINI BACK AT HIS DUTIES IN ROME

Rome, March 24 (A.P.)—Premier Mussolini gradually is resuming all of his normal activities. Discussing his recent illness today he declared, "I might have returned to work before now if I had not listened to doctors who tried to worry me about my condition only in order to make me follow their orders."

MAYOR GIVES CITY KEY TO A. O. H. HEAD

Mrs. Adelia Christy of Cleveland, O., national president of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, will speak tonight at East Weymouth.

Mrs. Christy is making a three-weeks' tour of inspection of the various divisions of the organization in Massachusetts.

Upon her arrival in Boston she visited City Hall, where Mayor Curley presented her with the official gold key to the city, to Miss Catherine McGormley of West Roxbury, who accompanied the visitor, the Mayor gave a copy of the history of Boston. Miss McGormley is State president of the Massachusetts Ladies' Auxiliary.

Mrs. Christy stated that in Massachusetts there are 75,000 Catholic women of Irish descent, the largest number of any State in the country.

Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn has been assigned to escort Mrs. Christy and with his aid she expects to meet many members of the divisions in and around Boston during the next three weeks.

CABINET CHANGE RUMORS DENIED BY PRESIDENT

Washington, March 24.—Widely published rumors that several Cabinet officials soon are to retire were denied today at the White House. President Coolidge has not been informed that any member of his Cabinet expects to resign, and he believes the present membership will remain unchanged.

Noted Educator Dies

St. Louis, March 24.—Dr. Frederick Aldin Hall, seventy, chancellor emeritus of Washington University, died today of bronchial pneumonia. He was the recipient of an honorary degree from Tufts. He was chancellor at Washington from 1917 to 1923. The widow, one son and two daughters survive.

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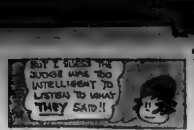

CHAPMAN CLAIMS WORLD TITLE AFTER BEATING DUNDEE

WEIGHED 125 3-4 LBS. AT 3 P.M.

By JACK COMBAT

RED CHAPMAN today claimed the world's feather-weight championship as a result of his decisive victory [illegible] rounds. The first round was the only one in which Dundee was out front.

Dundee protected his world's featherweight championship by a technicality. When the match was made it was agreed that the weight should be 127 pounds, one notch above the world's featherweight limit. The featherweight kings were to weigh in at 3 o'clock at the office of the Boxing Commission.

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JIMMY JOHNSTON, Dundee's manager, was tipped that Chapman was under 126 pounds. He insisted upon a private weighing before going to the office of the Commission. It took place at 3 o'clock, and Chapman scaled 125¾ pounds. Johnson then stated that the fight was off unless Chapman would put on a pound.

Rather than have the bout called off, Chapman drank an egg-shake and when he stepped on the scales at the office of the Boxing Commission half an hour later he weighed 127 pounds, while Dundee scaled 131 pounds.

Chapman stated that as he was under 126 pounds at 3 o'clock he is today the world's featherweight champion.

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INCIDENTALLY Chapman's real name is Moe Kaplan. He is a Jew and like Benny Leonard, has smashed his way to a position of national prominence in the ring by rare ability as a boxer and hard, clean punching.

Chapman did to Dundee what boxing fans have usually been accustomed to see the famous Pepite Wop do to his rivals. He had Dundee missing and walking right into heavy left and right-hand socks.

More than 8,000 fans witnessed the contest. It was the largest crowd to attend a boxing show at Mechanics Building since Young Stribling defeated Tommy Robson.

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DUNDEE opened with a rush in the first round. He shot a flock of swinging left hooks to the head. Chapman hoped on the defensive and only landed with a few left jabs.

It was a different story in the second frame. Chapman then got going on high. He clipped Dundee with three left hooks to the whiskers right off the bat. He followed this up with a couple of heavy right-handers to the body.

Chapman continued to surge out front in the third chapter. He made his big play with right handers to the body. Dundee fought with desperation but swung wildly most of the time. He got in a few left hooks to the jaw, but couldn't connect with his right.

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THE fourth session was a parade for Chapman. Dundee appeared tired and couldn't seem to catch up with his fast moving opponent.

Dundee made a finish in the fifth session, but Chapman stood right up with him and staggered boer for boer. When the Scotch Wop tired, Chapman continued his drives and had the margin.

Dundee did better in the sixth frame and was only shaded by the red topped youth from Dorchester.

The seventh and eighth rounds also saw Chapman's left hook to the jaw and right hand smash to the body serving the advantage.

In the ninth frame Chapman boxed at a dizzy clip and made Dundee look like a novice. He hit the champion almost at will. Dundee fought back furiously, but most of his punches went whizzing harmlessly through the air.

Chapman continued his fine work in the tenth round and saved up the decision by a marvelous finish.

After the bout, Jimmy Johnston Dundee's manager, told this writer he would try and secure a return engagement with Chapman for the champion.

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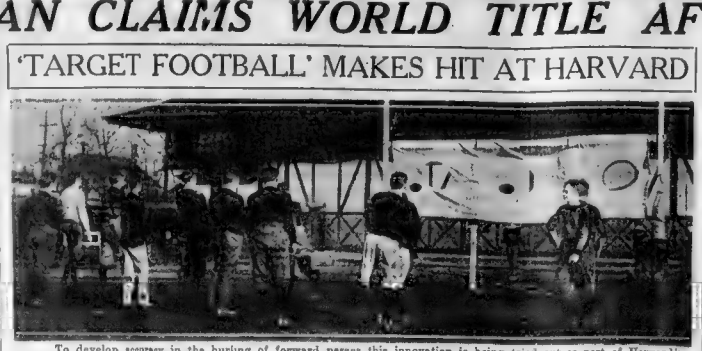
AL MELLO of Lowell won over Al Sears of East Boston in the semi-final of eight rounds. Mello had a big head. This youngster looks like the best punching welterweight to be developed in New England since Young Kirby was in his prime.

Stanley Stasiak, Polish heavyweight wrestling champion proved a riot in his debut as a boxer. He had Harry Van Patten all but knocked out in the third round of their bout when a blow, delivered unintentionally, when Van Patten was downrobbed in a of victory.

In the opening bout, Eddie Devine of the South End knocked out Ray Leonard of Salem in a round.

'TARGET FOOTBALL' MAKES HIT AT HARVARD



To develop accuracy in the hurling of forward passes this innovation is being tried out as part of Harvard's Spring football program. The scheme is to throw the pigskin through the hole in a canvas. Note the two footballs on their way. The game is the invention of Major Fred Moore of the Harvard A. A.

NURMI FACES CONNOLLY IN SPECIAL MILE

New York, March 24.—Paavo Nurmi will run the last long mile on the boards of New York tonight.

Jimmy Connelly, sturdy product of Georgetown, will accompany the flashing Finn in a special race at the 24th Coast Artillery games, an event in which Nurmi hopes to break the tie existing between Joie Ray and himself as one-mile record holders at four minutes and twelve seconds.

After this test, his last of the indoor season in the Metropolitan district, Nurmi starts on a journey which is expected to take him across the continent.

The schedule, which is regarded as final, is as follows:

March 26—106th Field Artillery games, Buffalo.

March 27 28—107th Field Artillery games, Pittsburgh.

March 31 Elks' games, Boston.

April 3—Ottawa.

April 4—Montreal.

April 6—Detroit.

April 19—Loyola College games, Chicago.

April 20—St. Louis (outdoors).

April 25—Los Angeles American Legion games (outdoors).

April 30—San Francisco (outdoors).

In addition, Nurmi has been asked to appear at Minneapolis, April 14, at St. Paul April 18, and at Omaha April 21, but he is not yet certain whether he will be able to include these games on his schedule.

He has several engagements in England and Germany about the middle of May.

ROSENBERG TO DEFEND TITLE AGAINST VILLA

New York, March 24.—Charley Phil Rosenberg's first opponent in defense of his newly gained bantamweight title is Pancho Villa, flyweight champion, according to reports in circulation today. The bout, if closed, would take place on June 19 in the interest of the Italian Hospital Fund. Villa, scheduled to sail for America from his home in Manila within a short time, is said to have put on weight and may branch out as a full-fledged bantam.

Spring Football Practice at Harvard on

Spring football started at Harvard when about seventy candidates reported to Captain Dolph Cheek. Cheek is taking complete charge of practice until Bob Fisher officially appears April 27.

The feature of the opening day of practice was the introduction of Major Moore's new game of "target football." Two teams composed of eight men to a side battled at the game for a half hour. The game is almost the same as basketball except that a football instead of a basket ball is used and targets are used in place of baskets.

Pooch Donavan, veteran Harvard trainer, was much pleased with the game. He says that it combines the art of handling the ball with strenuous conditioning exercise.

Many varsity stars took part in the game including Captain Cheek, Al Miller, Charles Bradford, Josh Dean, Nat Hales and Clem Coady.

Professor Made Football Coach at Vermont

Burlington, Vt., March 23.—F. W. Householder, professor of mathematics at the University of Vermont, has been appointed coach of the freshman football team for next Fall. Professor Householder is a graduate of the University of Texas, where he was a prominent member of the Texas eleven in 1908.

HOLY CROSS GRIDDERS START SPRING PRACTICE

Worcester, March 24—Fifty candidates answered Head Coach Chet O'Donnell's first call for Spring football training at Holy Cross. Captain-elect "Jack" Crowley and Captain Mahaney of last Fall's eleven were on hand.

Some promising new candidates appeared in Clarence Ryan, a Worcester boy, who plays at tackle; "Mike" Savaro, ex-Worcester Academy star, who plays end, and Vernon Carney, leader of last Fall's Purple freshman eleven.

HARVARD SQUAD OUTDOOR PRACTICE POSTPONED

Coach Ned Mahan of the Harvard varsity baseball coach has decided to keep his players in the cage for a while longer until the real warm days arrive. The squad was slated to have their first outdoor practice yesterday.

LEONARD SAYS HE WON'T BOX WALKER

By RINGSIDE.

Benny Leonard, world's light-weight champion, is kept busy at Keith's this week telling his Boston and New England friends that he is sincere in his claim he is all through with the boxing game.

"I have retired and intend to remain retired," Leonard told this writer in his dressing room. "My talk about retiring is not part of the ballyhoo to create interest in a match between Mickel Walker and myself."

Benny's act is a good one for an athlete. He opens fire right off the bat with the announcement he isn't a regular actor. He then goes on and proves that while he may not be a Billy Van he is a whole lot better as an actor than some of the young men who linger around the Lamber Club in dear old New York.

Leonard tells a few stories and then does some calisthenics. He winds up his act with a boxing comedy.

Benny looks physically fit, though it was noticeable that he got winded while doing his calisthenics.

The champion told his audience that diet, exercise and plenty of sleep were the means by which he won his championship and successfully defended it against all comers. He frankly admitted he often wished to break training and ask what he wished and also take in a few midnight cabarets, but that the rules of his manager prevented him from doing so. Now that he is no longer active in the ring Leonard says he is not obliged to follow the rules of strict training.

Benny's popularity was attested by the ovations he received at each performance.

50 TRACK ATHLETES REPORT AT TUFTS

Spring track practice started at Tufts when fifty men reported at Tufts Oval. Captain Littlefield was on hand with a number of last year's veterans.

Basketball Results

Keene Normal 33 Plymouth Normal 18.
Haverhill Pres 27, Newburyport 15.

Medford Plays Malden for Trip Expenses

Malden and Medford high school basketball teams will clash tomorrow night in a game at Medford High School hall. The proceeds will go towards defraying the expenses of the Medford quintet, which is going to Chicago to compete in the national interscholastic basketball tournament.

This is the first time that these two fives have ever engaged in a basketball game. The Medford and New England friends that he is and New England high school clash in a preliminary tussle with the Lincoln Junior High five of the same district.

Newport, R. I., March 24.—Rogers High school, winners of the New England basketball championship at the Tufts College tournament last week, today declined the invitation of the University of Chicago to compete in the national tournament at Chicago next week.

RABBIT MARANVILLE TO REJOIN CUBS MAY 15

Chicago, March 24 (A.P.).—Rabbit Maranville, field captain and shortstop with the Chicago Cubs, whose leg was broken at the ankle in a Los Angeles practice game, will be able to join the team about May 15, according to word received from the coast. The fracture is healing nicely.

QUINN SEEKS NEW MEN FOR RED SOX

By FRED C. LANE.

New Orleans, March 24.—That President Bob Quinn of the Red Sox had his eyes wide open while watching his hired men perform here is indicated by the reports broadcasted about camp this morning that he is

Quinn is determined to bolster the Sox before the regular campaign gets under way. Having studied the situation carefully, he feels that he knows what the club needs and will try to secure the necessary strength in Mobile. If he fails there, he will try elsewhere.

The Fohlmen were certainly far from impressive while their boss was in camp. They were tired out from the pace they had been hitting without a respite from the time they had arrived in camp and looked anything but like a big league club in their clashes with the Pelicans.

The Red Hose athletes, however need not be too alarmed over their showing before the Fenway "Frexy." Quinn has a keen baseball mind and understands fully the handicap the players were working under. At the same time, he knows that some of the players couldn't do much better under the most favorable conditions and that there are certain positions on the club that need reinforcement. Thus, he is out to secure it.

Fohl will put his men through their daily paces again today after a single day's lay-off, the first they enjoyed since arriving here. The manager granted the day off out of the kindness of his heart, but the men would have had it regardless, since it rained hard all day long.

It is hoped that the rest has given the squad the zip and pep which they lacked during the first few workouts, but which was noticeably lacking while Quinn was in camp.

Munn Matched With Mondt

Chicago, March 24 (A.P.)—Wayne Munn, world's heavyweight wrestling champion, and Joe "Toots" Mondt, Colorado cowboy, have been matched for the main bout of a wrestling show here March 31.

Selections--Mounts--Prices

CONSENSUS OF OPINION OF LEADING HANDICAPPERS AT TIA JUANA

1—Smacker	22 points
Highland Chief	14 points
Shasta King	12 points
2—Shasta Springs	16 points
Lotus Russel	14 points
Peter Patter	12 points
3—Ods Ends	18 points
Cadmus	10 points
Fawnbroker	10 points
4—Rita Belle	14 points
Mirimichael	12 points
Bantam	12 points

ELEVENTH HOUR SPECIALS

Smacker, 1st race; Clarkson, 6th race.

At Tia Juana

FIRST RACE.

Horse. Jockey.	Prob. odds
Smacker, J. J. Roberts	8-1
Khat a Kid, W. Elston	4-1
Kid Cook, J. Woodruff	6-1
Rainy Season, J. Rice	15-1
Lady Cop, J. McAtee	10-1
Miss Tess, F. Wells	8-1
Brewer	6-1
Lotus Russel, J. Bauer	15-1
Cash Over, J. Smith	15-1
Wood Bush, R. Doyle	10-1
Jack Ryan, J. Lang	10-1
Adele W. W. Kelsey	15-1

SECOND RACE.

Shasta Springs, J. Rice	8-1
Peter Patter, J. J. Roberts	3-1
Tony O. Young	6-1
Last Chip, J. Metcalf	10-1
Camilla Russell, F. Prestelle	8-1
Letter B, H. O Donnell	15-1
Lotus Russel, W. Elston	15-1
Lady Bentfellow, G. Huntamer	10-1
Chris Zealous, Vassell	6-1
Irvington, B. Griffin	10-1
Quintana Roo, G. Ellis	20-1
Rose Lady J. Fredericks	10-1
Lloyd Boy	20-1
Lady Barrett, J. Silvia	10-1
Ivy Ann, R. Miller	20-1
Let er Bride, A. Mortensen	20-1
Dewberry, E. McHugh	10-1
Half Mast	15-1

THIRD RACE.

Olds Eight, V. Wallis	5-2
Johnny O Connell, G. Hooper	3-1
Pawnbroker, E. McHugh	3-1
Bantam, B. Griffin	4-1
Mr. Rain, J. Byrne	15-1
Proclamation, J. Schaefer	10-1
Joy Mrs. J.	10-1
Monogram	15-1
Dewdrop gan, F. Tuohy	15-1
Flowerth, H. Elston	20-1

FOURTH RACE.

Malvern, F. J. Baker	3-1
Bantam, B. Griffin	4-1
Hayde, M. Edwards	4-1
Miss Bells, E. McHugh	5-1
Apricot, J. Byrne	8-1
Ida Belle, J. Silvia	10-1
Proclamation, J. Schaefer	10-1
Yorkshire Maid, R. Jackson	15-1
Handsome, J. J. Roberts	15-1

FIFTH RACE.

Runaway, E. McHugh	3-1
Mart Rose, M. Edwards	3-1
Joe Underwood, B. Griffin	4-1
Pominol, J. Schaefer	4-1
Scottish Lad, A. Mortensen	4-1
Mary Cunneary, G. Johnson	6-1
Miss Emma, G. F. J. Baker	10-1
Joe V. G. Hooper	10-1
Green Spring, W. Masters	8-1
Sweet and Low, E. Elston	15-1

SIXTH RACE.

Clarkson, P. Wells	8-1
Grayson, A. Mortensen	4-1
Xerxes Ma, E. McHugh	4-1
Bells Aloft, J. Singleton	6-1
Pica o, G. Huntamer	10-1
San McCrory, H. Elston	10-1
Great Jupiter, G. Ellis	15-1
Rose Castle, Martinez	10-1
Fire Fince, L. Schaefer	10-1
Margaret White, V. Wallis	15-1

SEVENTH RACE.

My Reverie, B. Griffen	3-1
Knighthood, G. Johnson	3-1
Best Shot, J. Ellis	4-1
Good Times, G. Hooper	5-1
Deputy, L. Schaefer	6-1
Pageon, F. Barnes	8-1
Publisher, H. Elston	10-1
The World F. J. Baker	10-1

EIGHTH RACE

Crack o' Dawn, E. McHugh	2-1
Dainty M. Edwards	3-1
Kissing L. L. Jones	4-1
Sweet Grass, H. Elston	4-1
Simon	5-1

SPORT BROADCAST

By JIM MURPHY

ANOTHER GOTCH LOOMS UP!

The name of Frank Gotch will live again!

Today in the bustling city of Winnipeg, Manitoba, a boy yet many years from attaining his majority, is being groomed in the fundamentals of wrestling in the hope that some day he will annex the title once held by his father.

That boy is Frank Gotch, Jr., [illegible] twelve years old, 100 pounds in weight and as sturdy as a young ox. [illegible] same man [illegible] Frank Gotch's father [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] for a grappling career. He is Emil Klank, now a promoter of wrestling and boxing bouts in Manitoba.

The accompanying picture of the boy was sent to the writer by a Winnipeg sportsman. To the youth of today it may not mean a great deal, but to those who have seen Gotch and know of his great career as world's heavyweight wrestling champion it has a sentimental value that cannot be gauged in dollars.

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GOTCH, SR., BEST EVER

Gotch was probably the greatest wrestler that ever lived. From the time he won the title from Tom Jenkins May 15, 1905, until his death he remained undefeated. He reached the crest of his career when he whipped George Hackenschmidt, the so-called Russian Lion, in Chicago in 1908. Several years later, when he said he felt himself slipping, he pinned the shoulders of Stan Zbyszko to the mat in just 49 and a quarter seconds. And Zbyszko was a young man then with physical proportions of a Hercules. In fact his size alone was enough to "scare a man to death."

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CREDIT TO WRESTLING

Gotch was not only a great wrestler, but a credit to the game. Smoking and drinking were out of his line. He always steered clear of the bright lights. He was a MAN in every sense of the word His heart and soul were in Humboldt, Iowa, the town in which he was born, and Humboldt was wrapped up in him. His townfolk actually idolized him. To Humboldt Frank went after every match. He never got the big city ideas. Once he had become champion he stuck to the people who loved him and whom he loved. He was a rarity in sport.

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STRIKING RESEMBLANCE

When you look at the above picture, with the inset of Gotch at the height of his career, the great resemblance between father and son immediately strikes you. The boy is the "dead spit" of his dad. He has the same upstanding appearance that bespeaks strength and character. He is still a kid—but who knows in another ten or a dozen years another Gotch may be world's wrestling champion.

Frank Gotch, Jr., above, and the late Frank Gotch, Sr.

Fair Rowena, G. Hostamer	8-1
Werthenia, G. Hooper	10-1

NINTH RACE.

Kate Up, J. Roberts	3-1
Silent King, G. Ellis	4-1
Wedding Prince, F. J. Baker	4-1
I's Both, M. Edwards	6-1
Clarence, B. Griffin	6-1
Black Wand, L. Schafer	6-1
Desert Shasta, J. Silvia	15-1
Royal Oak, J. Barnes	10-1
Princess Ward, A. Mortensen	8-1
Toss Up, V. Tuohy	15-1
Tuff	15-1
Idle Thoughts, V. Wallis	15-1

COLLYER'S DAILY SELECTIONS

MOST PROBABLE WINNER—Smacker
BEST TAKE A CHANCE—Olds Eight.

PARLAY—Olds Eight, Wedding Prince and Smacker—to win.
BEST—Smacker
1—Smacker, Shasta King, Highland Chief.
2—Lady Bentfellow, Shasta Springs, Last Chip.
3—Olds Eight, Pawnbroker, Johnny O'Connell.
4—Apricot, Blue Belle, Mayde.
5—Runaway, Pominol, Scottish Lad.
6—Clarkson, Bells Aloft, Grayson.
7—Sweet But My Reverie, The World
8—Sweet Grass, Crack o' Dawn, Kissing.
9—Wedding Prince, I's Both, Black Wand.

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Outdoor Sports

By Tad

IF NOVE WUZ A BABBLING BROOK SHE'D BE A RAGING TORRENT— BULL-EVE ME
THE OWN LETTER SHE'LL GET WIRL BE A PROSPECTUS FROM SOME OIL CO
???
OH MR. O'DONELL WONT YOU LOOK THROUGH NOVE BAG PLEASE AND SEE IF THERE'S A LETTER FOR ME — I'M EXPECTING A VERY IMPORTANT LETTER
HOW DO THEY GET THAT WAY?
OUTDOOR SPORTS
LAMPING THE NEIGHBORHOOD PEST AS SHE STOPS THE OVERBURDENED LETTER CARRIER TO INQUIRE ABOUT MAIL.
OH, MA, HERE THEY COME UP OUR BLOCK!
YOU TELL 'EM— I STUTTER—
TAD 3-24

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

BANNY HAS EYES ON SLUGGER

Is Seeking Carroll of Columbus Club to Add Much-Needed Punch to Tribal Lineup

By NICK FLATLEY.

St. Petersburg, Fla., March 23.—Rest was the portion of the Brave regulars today while the kids were dismissed after a short morning workout.

The Yankees, who depart hence tomorrow, were using the orchard for a pastime with the Brooklyn Robins.

The Braves right now are peeing old bunch. This team needs a little more scrap than it has demonstrated. That is why Judge Fuchs is trying to get Carroll from the Columbus club. The boy is a long hitter. That's why dickers are on, too, with several clubs down in the part of the world. There are a few sluggers that may be gathered into the net.

So far as we know, nothing has ever been said about fencing in the Brave outfield. But plans have been made to do that little thing as soon as the team can show enough hitting power to make it worth while. Pitchers at the Wigwam have the toughest assignment in the world. Any ball player will tell you that a good team at Braves Field would need a trio of the Hooper-Speaker-Lewis order.

With fences built within shooting distance of the platter, all that would be changed. The outfielders could take chances coming in on hits. They wouldn't have to worry because a ball that rolled by them was sure to be a homer. And the pitchers would like the fence idea, with the ever present possibility of a home run. But it would be suicide on just the chance before there is a real one hitter on the home team. As things go it would just help the enemy.

The Braves lost the last game to the Yanks, 8 to 3, one of those games, as the scores indicate. The Tribe looked like champs while Johnny Cooney was blotting the Yanks for five frames, but didn't look so good when the American Leaguers got busy with Ogrodowski. They peppered the young man mightily, and knocked him for six runs.

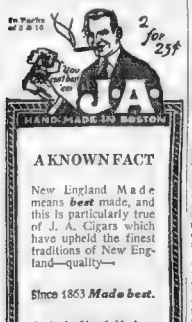
The Braves schedule for the trip north has been completed. The team plays Rochester at Savannah on April 6, at Cheraw, S. C., the next day and at Kinston, N. C., the following afternoon.

SALEM HIGH TO COMPETE IN N. Y. BASKET TOURNEY

At a meeting of the Salem school Committee the members accepted the invitation from Glen Falls, N. Y., High School extended to the Salem High school basketball team to compete in the coming tournament to be held at Glen Falls on April 3, 3 and 4. Many high and prep school teams have been invited to take part and it is likely that the much talked of Passaic High quintet of New Jersey will rub shoulders with the Witch City hoopers.

GREB AT ST. PAUL FOR BATTLE WITH TUNNEY

St. Paul, March 24 (A.P.)—Harry Greb, middleweight boxing champion of the world, arrived here today to prepare for his ten round fight Friday night with Gene Tunney, American light heavyweight champion. Tunney has been here for the last two days.



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After his Monday lay off old boy Moe tackled the Tia Juana racket this afternoon and expects to gather in enough at Jim Coffroth's joint to start the season at Bowie with a healthy bank roll. He is picking one today which will make Joe Zuker and his Coney Island mob happy if it cops. The fattening fortune is $17,697.20 fat.

I'M TAKING A STAB AT Last Chip IN THE second WITH A HALF GRAND TO COP AND 500 JINGLES TO SHOW!
DON'T BE SHOOTIN' AT THE MOON MOE! DOPE YOUR NAGS ACCORDING TO THE FIGURES!
I GUESS THAT GUY'S RIGHT, YOU HAVE TO USE A SYSTEM TO BEAT THE GALLOPS; I'LL PICK ONE NOW ACCORDING TO PAST PERFORMANCE!
FISH CAKE BEAT HOT DOG + HOT DOG BEAT LOLLYPOP + LOLLYPOP BEAT FISH CAKE + SUBTRACT THE WEIGHT AND ADD IT TO THE WEATHER!
THESE CUCKOOS ARE GETTIN' SO THICK AROUND HERE THAT I'LL SOON BE PICKIN' THEM OUTTA MY HAIR!
PLUS THE CONDITION OF THE TRACK MINUS THE NAGS BREAKFAST PLUS—
PADDED

LEWIS TRIES TO THROW 2 MEN IN AN HOUR

Strangler Lewis dethroned heavyweight wrestling champion, will open [illegible] to regain his lost title when [illegible] are in a special bout at the [illegible] Horse on Thursday night.

[illegible] has agreed to toss Nick [illegible] a Bohemian, and Leone [illegible] Italian heavyweight, in [illegible] hours. [illegible] will go to Stanley [illegible] Polish champion, and Alex [illegible] heavyweight, who [illegible] the feature bout, which will be to a fall.

OLD TIME SPORT STORIES

by GEORGE V. TUOHEY

The Unfinished Boat Race Between the New York A. C. and Riversides 20 Years Ago

This is the fifty-eighth of a series of articles on old-time athletes by George V. Tuohey, famous sports promoter, who has been prominent in athletics for thirty-five years.

Twenty odd years ago the eight-oared crew of the Riverside Boat Club of Cambridge, competing in the National Regatta at Lake Quinsigamond, Worcester, engaged in what was easily one of the most exciting events of its nature in the history of the National Association Amateur Oarsmen, and, so far as can be recalled the only race ever held by that organization that remained unfinished, although it is officially recorded as a dead-heat.

Johnny Brassell

It was the final number of the big two-day program that attracted oarsmen from all parts of America and Canada, among the latter being the crack Argonauts of Toronto, then considered one of the finest eights on the water.

The various events, singles, doubles and intermediate races, had but whetted the appetites for the big number, which was the senior eight-oared struggle.

In this event were the Riversides, the crew of the New York A. C., and the Argonauts. Because of the length of the program the eights did not get to the starting line at the upper end of the lake until about 5 o'clock.

They got away to a fine start, the Argonauts working gradually into the lead as was to be expected, as they were regarded as sure winners on their previous form. The Riverside, however were made up of a lot of determined working young men all hard as nails with plenty of power even if they lacked the finished style of the men from up North.

EVEN AT HALF WAY

At the three-quarter-mile mark, just half the distance to be rowed, the crews were battling on even terms, while the New York A. C., of which much had been expected, began to show the effects of the gruelling pace and gradually dropped back into a trailing position.

Coming toward Regatta Point the excitement was intense. It was stroke after stroke, with each of the sixteen men in the two leading boats putting into his work every ounce of power and gameness. The Riverside boys were evenly boated; that is they had equal power on both the starboard and port side, while the Argonauts had the greater power on their starboard or right hand side. This made a tendency for their shell to work over toward the Riverside boat, but the coxswain of the latter kept his head and his course, while the opposing coxswain appeared to be unable to check his shell's drift.

Several times the Argonauts were warned to keep over in their own water, but the inevitable happened when both shells crashed and became a helpless mess that required several minutes to untangle. In the crash one of the oars of the Argonauts struck Hughy Howard rowing at No. 4, with such force that he sustained a deep gash in his head, which later required several stitches.

ARGONAUTS RULED OUT

Meantime, the New York A. C. crew, seeing its opportunity, drove ahead and crossed the line, apparently a winner. The officials, however, declared that the race must be rowed over between the Riversides and the New Yorkers, the Argonauts being disqualified.

With one of its star men injured, the Canuck boys began to stall for time and wanted to row over on Sunday morning. But the New York crowd got wise that something was wrong and insisted on the race being held that night. The officials in charge pleaded to the Riversides' request, and the crews were disbanded for the evening.

At this time the chief of police of Worcester said he would not permit the race to be rowed on Sunday and threatened all concerned with arrest if they attempted it.

A hurried call was then sent out and the crews reassembled and boated about 8 o'clock, which before the daylight saving time was just about the beginning of darkness. The eights were hurried up the lake to the starting point with a special set of judges at the finish, composed of Fred Formeyer and Prelzendorf of Philadelphia, both of the national committee, and Johnny Brassell, now a boxing referee, representing the Riversides.

After waiting some time for the crews word was brought down that the New Yorks had broken an oar which must be replaced. This meant another half hour of delay as the boat racing was below the Canadian and Hungarians through. "Hell Gate" had to be negotiated by the motor boat that had been pressed into service. Finally the oar was secured and the crews were lined up for the race but their troubles were not finished, by any means.

When the crews raised oars at the evening with the New Yorks apparently a winner by a scant of two oars' length, the rope that kept the flotilla of canoes off the course during the racing. These ropes were attached to barrel buoys, one of these being kept attached to the rope to prevent it from sinking. The barrel began to drift, carrying with it the long rope, and in coming down the lake the propeller of the officials' boat became entangled in this.

One of the crew of the steamer dove overboard and, after a lot of work, managed to free the propeller, but by this time both crews had crossed the line so close together that it was impossible for the judges to determine which was front and so the race went down in history as a dead heat.

REPORT TOM KEADY WILL COACH QUANTICO MARINES

Manchester, N. H., March 23.—It was reported here today that Tom Keady, who recently resigned as head football coach at University of Vermont, was to be named coach of the Quantico Marines football team.

Johnny Evers' Uncle Dead

Washington, March 24.—Baseball lost another of its pioneers in the death here Saturday of T. F. Evers, seventy-two, second baseman in the early eighties of the old Washington club of the Union Association and an uncle of Johnny Evers of big league fame.

Bouts Last Night

At New Bedford—Young Delaney of Fall River got the decision over Jackie Denton of New York ten rounds. Artie Shaner of Scotland defeated Russell Fortenis of Boston.

At Lynn—Wee Willie Woods of Scotland defeated Charlie Baxter of Pawtucket, R. I., ten rounds. Hamilton Kid knocked out Orrilla Mack, St. Africa, six rounds. Francis Wyse Buckley, defeated Jimmy Downing, Worcester, six rounds. Barbadoes Panther, South Africa, knocked out Jack Levins, two rounds.

At Newark—Jack Renault, Canadian heavyweight outpointed Quinty Romero Rojes of Chile in a twelve-round bout. Willie Harmon of New York knocked out Jack Green Providence negro, in the first round.

At Pittsburgh—Jack Zivic, Pittsburgh won decision over Chubby Brown, Rochester, N. Y. 10 rounds.

At Portland, Me.—Eddie Deanotolis, Dover N. H. knocked out Lenny Robinson, Boston two rounds. Paul Campi Boston won from George Siegel Revere in six rounds. Kenda Sumner old Fort Williams and Young Ireland, Portland, fought fourteenth draw. Bird Bridges, Portland, defeated Elsner Dumon, Cumberland Mills, four rounds.

At Baltimore—Alex Hart, Philadelphia, was given award over Clyde (K. O.) Jacks, Toledo, 6 10 rounds.

At Philadelphia—Bobby Garris, Camp Holabird Md. was awarded judge's decision over Billy Pamela, Fargo, N. D., in 10 rounds. Eddie Kid Wagner Philadelphia won judge's decision over Mickey Travers, New Haven eight rounds.

Portland, Ore.—"Tiger" Norman, Portland heavyweight beat Bob Roger of New York in 10 rounds.

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WOMAN'S PAGE

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CORRECT MANNERS

By Mrs. Cornelius Beckman

DEAR MRS. BECKMAN,

One of the girls from our office is getting married and we are invited to her wedding but we cannot go. Would it be proper to give her a wedding present or is that not necessary?

(2) And if we did go, would it be improper to ask our host if we were invited to the present at the ceremony?

CONSTANT READER.

YOU give a wedding present only if you want to. If you are not going to the wedding it makes no difference. The only thing that determines it is your desire.

(2) It is proper to ask your host if you may go to the ceremony. It is a bit awkward and may embarrass him, but if you think you ought to go to the ceremony you have every right to ask. I hope it will be an interesting one.

DEAR MRS. BECKMAN,

I am a young woman and am about to be married. Would it be proper to wear my orange blossoms. I am deeply interested in your answer as I wish to be married in good form.

BAT.

No, my dear lot [illegible] send home these [illegible] gifts are returned only when the engagement is broken, and therefore the wedding does not take place. I think that the people must have confused the rule. There is no reason in the world for your returning the gifts if am so sorry that your happiness fled so soon. Please let me answer any other questions that may be on your mind.

DEAR MRS. BECKMAN

I am a young woman and am about to be married. Would it be proper to wear orange blossoms. I am deeply interested in your answer as I wish to be married in good form.

BAT.

No, on the other hand I should like a [illegible] orange blossoms. I am sorry [illegible] and I hope [illegible] to wear [illegible] and I feel [illegible] and [illegible] and [illegible] and

MAGAZINE PAGE

A Warrior Who Trembled

GARCIA, King of Navarre at the close of the tenth century, was called "The Trembler," on account of his nervousness before battle. Once the fight began he lost all nervousness and was a spirited leader.

This Day In Our History

THIS is the anniversary of the death, in 1882, of Henry W. Longfellow, whose verses are familiar to every school child. His most pretentious work was, "Evangeline," but he is best known for his short poems.

SHEBO

Facing Life Fearlessly, This Girl of Today Meets Each Problem as It Comes

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ladies of the ensemble. After inventory he looked into her face smugly. The glance was not a nice compliment, but it was a compliment. Backstage the word had gone out that Hardiman was in front. The incandescent smile of the chorus singled him out. Barbara sensed it. She would stick her tongue out at them all. She would rise and scream at them:

"The secret of success is to learn—to make up your mind! I'm a success, a success!"

She thought she had made up her mind. She thought she was drunk. But when the play was over and she stepped out with Hardiman into the cold night air, there recurred that persistent irritation of scruple. Invant us a scraper, skilled Chinese carvers in ivory, to scratch that itch away.

There was a certain look in Sharkey's eyes. She wanted to slap his face. Hardiman's arm encircled her when she sank back in the car She sat, a weight. He slid an arm under her wrap. She felt his hand, dry like paper, against her shoulder.

Whither?

"Where are we going?" she whispered.

"A place on Fifty-fourth street," he told her. "A supper place. I keep some champers there."

"I'm dying for some of it," she muttered.

The place was garish. A gateman with a bloated face let them in. A buxom, blondined hostess was engaged in insulting prominent people when they entered. She became a lamb as she sighted Hardiman. Before Barbara's amazed eyes the hostess evicted a party from a secluded table and turned it over to Hardiman. Was there no limit to the power of this man?

A drunken boy looked up as they approached the table. He arose and confronted Barbara.

She had never seen him before.

"What are you doing here?" he preached. She snarank. Hardiman's eyes blazed. The hostess broke into a frenzy of apology. Scowling huskies laid violent hands on the youth and catapulted him from the room.

The waiter came with a bottle of J. B.'s champagne. He opened it. Surely these were the antics of folly here. Pinwheels of flesh.

"All girls are the same girls," Barbara decided. "You can tell one from the other only by the clothes. And these clothes are all alike." They were doing something pedestrian and patriotic in feminized naval blouses. The champagne cork popped. "Hurrah for Dewey!" Barbara lifted her glass. The effervescent gaseous spray went into her nose. She sneered and drank.

"'S great champagne,' she announced.

"It's a good deal older than you are," he gravely informed.

Bubbles.

"'S great, Junny," she insisted. "It may be old, but it fee s young."

She felt intensely superior—to what? Never mind. She'd decide presently what it was to which she was, glittering green, pink and white, as butterfly to chrysalis or caterpillar.

For the moment she was concerned with a discovery. She was doing all the drinking. Hardiman noted it, too. there he was at it again. The sly dog! He filled her empty glass and poured just enough of the spumy liquid into his own to set it bubbling gaily.

"Junny." She leaned across the tiny untidied cloth. "You're not playing fair. You must drink with me. We neither of us must know what we're doing."

Hardiman's eye gleamed. She regarded shocked. It had seemed that the eye twirled like a pinwheel in its socket. How near this turned out drugged sponsess brought the antipodean sensations of delight and disgust!

He leaned to answer her:

"Cecilia, I can't drink. Doctor's orders. I had an operation—gallstones. I guess I drank too much when I was a kid like you. They were as big as pigeon's eggs. The nurse showed them to me. It scared me, child. I've gone pretty slow s nce."

Barbara went cold all over. Why did he talk about his stomach? After forty a man should end at the table line. What does a surgical scar look like? Ugh!

The Idle Rich.

She shriveled and reached for her ss. and disposed of its contents at one gulp. Immediately the feel ng of exalted superiority was here again. She had it now! She was superior to herself—a superior Barbara this evening to that poor child who a year ago (she remembered it now) had sat through three mornings in a waiting room in this same building waiting vainly for Salvy, the "cabaret king," to select her for one of these jobs at dancing to the clink of patrons' gold.

She turned suddenly in her seat, glass in hand, and reached to touch the nearest girl on the arm. Admiral No. 7 turned on her two immense, meaningless eyes in a vapid doll face. Barbara offered her glass. The girl snook her head solemnly:

"Thanks." Barbara was shocked by the frog-croak of a voice which issued from the lovely throat. "But the boss don't let us drink during working hours."

She paused and Barbara drew her close for confidences:

"But I," she made it a question, "can drink as much as I please. I have no working hours."

"Sure, you're lucky. You're Hardiman's girl, ain tche?"

"Sure, I'm lucky," Barbara echoed. "I'm—Hardiman's—girl."

When Junius Brutus Hardiman led Barbara away into the night, she needed the leading.

They got home at 8 o'clock. Hardiman had a latch-key. She wanted to scream as the door swung open, but fear, a wolf, had her by the throat. She waited.

"Perhaps he'll go home," she thought.

He had no such plan. He wanted her to go upstairs to her room. It was his manifest intention to follow. In the dark he was an ogre. She switched on the light. And, of a sudden, he was just a portly, middle-aged codger, slightly liquored, very restless, and ashamed.

She took courage. In that instant, looking at his flustered, flabby face, she knew that, whatever he was elsewhere, here he was a clumsy slave.

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Did Barbara succeed in keeping J. B. in his place? The next big instalment in tomorrow's Boston Evening American will contain one of the most thrilling situations of the story.

So This Is Love!

DRAWN BY NELL BRINKLEY

"LOVE is enough," sing some folks; "Love is a dizziness," growl others; "Love is a delusion and a snare," cry burnt ones; "Love makes the world go round," crow others. Every one manifests his coming down with love-sickness in a different aspect.

But somehow, too, they all look alike—have a look in their eyes that marks them for the same mad company. Just as you can tell by the look on a New Yorker's face when he is preparing to battle with the subway—a sparkle, a divine fire, a gloom, a desperation, a fine rage, an exultation!

Some folks lose their presence of mind and pour the coffee on the Irish linen instead of into the cup. Some walk off cliffs and never come back! Some give away their money under the influence of the little god's hypnosis. Some do beautiful and kind things who never thought much about other folks or little children before. Some won't eat the hot dinners their mothers steamed over, and their mothers think they have fallen victims of some awful and obscure disease that will baffle all the specialists in the country—and so they HAVE! Some won't speak and some babble with an insane joy.

He takes 'em all differently—the little pink child wh onever grows old. And each victim soliloquizes—"so this is LOVE!" And so does the rest of the world, when it grayly watches their antics and envies their state, say—"So this is LOVE!"

—*NELL BRINKLEY.*

My Romantic Husband

A Sequel to "Ways of a Husband"

By Ann Lisle

[illegible] Jim today [illegible] "You [illegible] party. He'll come, and I'll bet he'll [illegible]

My [illegible] that the two [illegible] been [illegible] has hurt her, [illegible] It was simply the method of a disappointed, angry woman who is too ordinary to be subtle and too untutored to make any effort to hide [illegible]

I wondered what man it was that Brooke was so eager to see. And then in a flash of intuition I recognized [illegible] true, would change the whole face of the situation and let the sea day [illegible]

[illegible] and Brooke have everything to gain from a reconciliation with Matt Hawley. Right over there Matt Brooke was trying to s[illegible] [illegible] bobbed and childishly naive hair. There she was [illegible] couple who I [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

THE THIMBLE THEATRE

A Promising Romance—By SEGAR

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BATT'S IN LOVE WITH OLIVE OYL—HA-HA—THAT'S A SCREAM
HELLO CASTOR I'M GOING UP TO THE HOUSE AND ASK YOUR SISTER FOR A KISS
GO RIGHT AHEAD. I WISH YOU LUCK
TEE HEE
THAT'S WHAT I CALL ENCOURAGEMENT
WHAT! DID SHE KISS YOU?!
NO—SHE DIDN'T KISS ME
THEN WHERE DO YOU GET THE ENCOURAGEMENT STUFF?
WELL—SHE DIDN'T SLAP MY FACE

KRAZY KAT

Unappreciated Talent—By HERRIMAN

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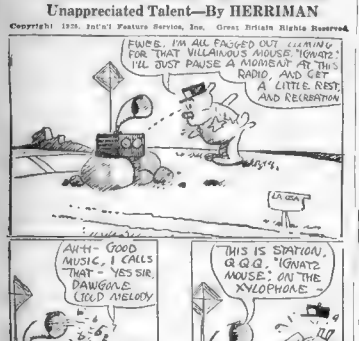
PHEW! I'M ALL FAGGED OUT HUNTING FOR THAT VILLAINOUS MOUSE. HOWEVER I'LL JUST PAUSE A MOMENT AT THIS RADIO, AND GET A LITTLE REST AND RECREATION
AHH- GOOD MUSIC, I CALLS THAT - YESSIR, DAWGONE CLOD MELODY
THIS IS STATION, G.Q.G.Q. "IGNATZ MOUSE" ON THE XYLOPHONE
WA-A-A-A- SOMEBODY'S BUSTED MY RADIO - I'LL TELL OFFICER PUPP ABOUT THIS -

Three Minute Trips

By Temple Manning

CLOTHES are generally regarded, by us at any rate, as one of the indications of the wealth of their owners. But we all realize that this indication is sometime misleading and certainly no well-bred woman, as we thing of a well-bred woman, would think of dressing so as to display her wealth conspicuously.

But among the Senussi, a tribe of the Sahara, custom dictates that a woman display the wealth of her husband on all possible occasions. She is considered lacking in breeding and in proper respect for her husband unless she demonstrates her appreciation of his wealth.

When a Senussi woman goes to call upon a friend, she wears all the clothes she possesses one garment on top of another. In the course of the visit, she removes her excess garments, one at a time. At the end of the visit she dons them once more and departs. The number of garments she wears is the mark of her husband's wealth.

The Senussi is a mysterious and fanatical tribe of the desert. They live near Siwa, which is the site of a long lost civilization. It is said that the treasure of Mohammed is hidden in the neighborhood of Siwa and for this reason, it is the scene of frequent trips of exploration and investigation.

It is amusing to think of the rivalries that the display of clothes must occasion among the wife of the Senussi women. You can picture them talking about each with a jealous eye the gorgeous pile of clothes heaped up beside their wealthier friends. And you can also picture the scene as they each pick up their pile of belongings and don them again as soon as seem. There is sure y nothing in our own customs that quite equals this for the possibilities for interesting complications.

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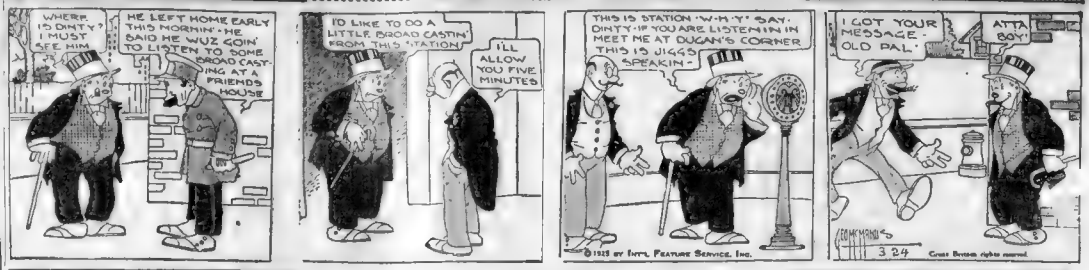
BRINGING UP FATHER

Jiggs FindsDinty by Radio

By George McManus


WHERE IS DINTY? I MUST SEE HIM
HE LEFT HOME EARLY THIS MORNIN' HE SAID HE WUZ GOIN' TO LISTEN TO SOME BROAD CASTING AT A FRIENDS HOUSE
I'D LIKE TO DO A LITTLE BROAD CASTIN' FROM THIS STATION
I'LL ALLOW YOU FIVE MINUTES
THIS IS STATION 'W-H-Y' SAY DINTY IF YOU ARE LISTENIN IN MEET ME AT DUGAN'S CORNER THIS IS JIGGS SPEAKIN -
I GOT YOUR MESSAGE - OLD PAL -
ATTA BOY!
GEO MCMANUS
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US BOYS

Skinny Hitfertile Soil

By McNamara

SAY VAN, I'M INSIDE OF ONE OF THEM THINGS THAT YOU GET INTO EVERY ONCE IN A WHILE WHEN YOU DON'T KNOW WHAT TO DO!
I BEG PARDON!
IT'S THE HIGH BROW WORD FOR PICKLE, BUT IT SOUNDS LIKE LAUNDRY, AND -
QUANDRY!- THAT'S HIM!- I'M INSIDE OF A QUANDRY!!
I HAVE YOU!
VA SEE, IT'S LIKE THIS.- SHRIMPS BEEN SICK, AND HE SAYS ITS A SHAME WE DON'T GIVE HIM A HOT DOG BARBECUE WITH MARSH MALLOWS ON THE SIDE IN HONOR OF HIM GETTIN WELL, AND -
I SEE, I SEE!
SKINNY'S GIWING VAN THE WORKS FOR THE DOUGH FOR A HOT DOG BARBECUE
TO-MORROW WELL FIND OUT HOW GOOD A PROMOTER SKINNY IS. SORRY WE RAN OUT OF SPACE TO-DAY.

GOLDBERG'S CARTOONS

People Who Put Into Sleep—No. 92

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By Rube Goldberg

YES, THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE THE HILLS AND THE WOODS AND THE BEAUTIFUL VALLEYS- WHEN I WAS A LAD I USED TO DANCE TEN MILES TO SCHOOL TO THE MUSIC OF THE NIGHTINGALE - THE SMELL OF NEW-MOWN HAY IS THE PERFUME OF THE GODS
HE HASN'T OPENED A WINDOW IN THIS BARDIAJB CAN IN FOUR YEARS
AS IF ANYBODY CARED!
THE ONLY WALKS HE EVER TAKES NOW ARE FROM THE SOFA TO THE DINNER TABLE
THE GINK WHO RAVES ABOUT THE BEAUTIES OF THE COUNTRY AND THEN TAKES A TEN-YEAR LEASE ON A TWO-ROOM FLAT IN THE HEART OF THE CITY.
O IF I COULD ONLY BE A BARE-FOOT COUNTRY BOY AGAIN!
CAN THAT BOLONEY!
By Rube Goldberg

JERRY ON THE JOB

This Is Some Fast Baby

By Hoban

GIMME A TICKET! GIMME A TICKET!
WHAT'S THE RUSH BIG BOY?
FROM THE TRENCHES
SOMEBODY TOLD THE POLICE I DONE A LITTLE STEALIN' AND I GOTTA GO — GIMME A TICKET TO THE END OF YOUR RAILROAD!
SORRY BUT THE LAST TRAIN'S WENT!
NO FOOLIN'
GONE ?? WHEN LEFT ?? DEPARTED?
YEP.
THEN GIMME THE TICKET AND SHOW ME THE TRACK!

DAILY SHORT STORY

AMANTHA'S OTHER EGO

By Jack Woodford

MR. JUTTLE was a modest business man. He had a remarkably conservative little moustache which he wore neatly clipped. His graying hair was parted neatly in the middle and he had everywhere about him the appearance of wisdom and thrift and intelligence of a high degree.

Furthermore, Mr. Juttle belonged to the Big and Better Business League, the Secret Knights of Arabia and the Apollo Sunday Evening Club. He read the most conservative newspaper in town, and voted, conservatively, as though it were a religious rite.

Everyone in town gravitated toward Mr. Juttle's little law office in the Swanstrom Block when they needed advice upon how best legally to extract money from each other's pockets and so perhaps it was only natural that Mr. Miles, who had run down from Chicago to permit the residents of Wreakton to get in on the "Finest Opportunity to Make a Safe Eight Per Cent." that had ever happened since the flood, should find it necessary to see Mr. Juttle before going any further.

Verbal Volcano

He "kiwanized" into Juttle's office like an incipient verbal cyclone and seated himself airily upon Mr. Juttle's finest chair. At first Mr. Juttle was inclined to hold off, but, gradually. . . .

"You see, Mr. Juttle, the reason I came to you is that everyone I talk to seems to think that you have excellent business judgment; in fact, to make a long story short, if I can sell you, I can sell everyone.

"Now, Mr. Juttle, I don't want to try to convince you, myself, of anything. I can readily see that you are not the sort of man to buy a security salesman's advice on his own bonds. What I would like you to do would be to accept a hundred-dollar retainer from me and investigate my issue yourself.

"Run down to the city and investigate thoroughly. Look up every phase of my proposition and keep track of your expenses while you're doing it. If they run over a hundred dollars, I'll give you a check, immediately you return, for the difference." Mr. Juttle stroked his moustache reflectively.

"Suppose, however," he said cautiously, "that my opinion, after investigation, should be adverse?"

Juttle Convinced

"That's all right; that's perfectly all right. If you want to come back and tell the people of this town that my issue is not gilt-edged, do so, by all means; I don't want you to compromise yourself one bit with your townspeople. All that I ask is that you make a thorough investigation."

This convinced Mr. Juttle, and, in a few hours, he was on the way to the city, for he had often wanted to visit the city—at some other person's expense.

At the head office of the bond salesman's company, Mr. Juttle found some very likeable fellows. In fact, so likeable were they that he was loathe to leave them; and, after several days, when it became very necessary that Mr. Juttle return home if he were to preserve the equinimity of his sedative life, he had not had time to see any of the people whom he had intended to see concerning the bond issue. Nevertheless, Mr. Juttle was satisfied; so much so in fact, that he bought generously of the salesman's offerings himself.

With Mr. Juttle's signed order for a block of bonds, in his hand, the salesman began to make the rounds of the village. With little difficulty he disposed of quite a large block of the bonds which had been liberally assigned to the town by the president of the concern because for some reason he had taken a liking to the little place. With the allotment fairly moving, the salesman wound up at last at the home of Amantha Jenks, whom it was popularly said was very well fixed indeed.

It was here that the salesman, well supplied with telling financial information before he had ever come to town, expected to make the real sale. The little hundred and five hundred dollar sales to the rest of the populace were merely for the looks of things. From Amantha he expected to extract a signed order for no less than a hundred thousand.

He blithely and confidently mounted the cement steps to the attractive little white stucco bungalow which housed the richest woman in town. His hand, which he kept in his right coat pocket, was upon Mr. Juttle's order blank.

"How do you do," said Amantha shortly.

Life Opportunity

"Finely, thank you ma'am," responded Miles. "I've come to offer you the opportunity of a lifetime."

"I don't care to participate in your opportunity of a lifetime," said Amantha after one short sharp look at him.

"Oh, but madam," interrupted the salesman, "I have here a signed order from Mr. Juttle for a block of our bonds."

"Let's see it," said Amantha shortly. He laid it upon the table before her with the air of one who makes a votive offering. Amantha picked it up incredulously.

"It contains a thirty-day cancellation clause," snapped Amantha.

"Yes," agreed the salesman, "we am simply taking a small down payment from everyone; the balance is due in thirty days."

"Have you other orders?" asked Amantha crisply. He had, many of them. Carefully she made a list of them all. When she had finished, Miles offered her a blank order form.

"I told you, the instant I saw you," remained Amantha, "that I would not do business with you; you may go now." Awkwardly the salesman began to remonstrate—but in vain.

"The moment I laid eyes upon you," reminded Amantha, firmly, over and over again, "I told you that I should not purchase any of your issue—and that settles it; good day."

When the salesman had gone Amantha drove in her prehistoric electric coupe to Mr. Juttle's office.

"You old fool," she said, confronting that astounded gentleman, "what on earth do you mean by going around telling people to buy bonds from that man." Juttle was plainly disconcerted.

"But I went up and looked at his office and—"

Size-Up His Face.

"Idiot, how many times have I told you to look at nothing but a man's face before you do business with him. You know perfectly well that, nowadays, between a few clever lawyers and a few crooked legislators, any shaky issue can be made to appear bona fide. I've told you time and time again not to do anything without consulting me—and you know perfectly well that the only times in the last twenty years that you have violated this, you've gotten into trouble." Juttle walked over and locked the door and suddenly a great change came over him.

"I know it Amantha; I know it—don't know what gets into me—if it weren't for you, I'd a pauper today. Every move I've ever made in my life, except those directed by yourself, has been a mistake. What'll I do when you die; people around here will find out inside of twenty-four hours that I haven't got an ounce of brains and—"

"Listen, booby," interrupted Amantha, "be practical and stop whining. Breathe through your nose and don't twist your hands together. I've got the list of subscribers to this silly bond issue that you were fool enough to endorse. I'll drive around now with a note from you saying that at the last moment you discovered something wrong with the issue—they'll think that that was tremendously clever of you and, there's a thirty-day cancellation clause in all their contracts . . . Write the note; hurry up about it." As Mr. Juttle wrote Amantha had another idea.

Married For Protection

"By the way," she said abruptly, "come up to the house tomorrow morning and bring a license and a minister and two witnesses with you. I'll have to keep you around where I can have a closer eye on you or you'll ruin everyone in town." Amantha stamped her foot irritably.

"Don't look at me in that calf-eyed way, you idiot; I'm only marrying you as a matter of protection to yourself and the rest of the townspeople." But Mr. Juttle's grin of happiness was irrepressible.

POLLY AND HER PALS

Paw Can't Afford Another Broken Heart

By Cliff Sterrett

FA, WE GOTTA HUMOR ASHUR. THE POOR BOY IS HEART-BROKEN BECAUSE THAT GAL THREW HIM DOWN.
OH, ALL RIGHT, I'LL HUMOR HIM ONLY I'M BUSY NOW FIGGERIN' OUT BILLS
WOE IS ME! WHY WAS I EVER BORN?
$43.62—$8.20 GOSH! HOW THEM CHARGE ACCOUNTS MOUNT UP!
WHAT ARE YE DOIN', ASHUR?
I THINK I'LL SMOKE A CIGAR,
THEM'S MY TWENTY-FIVE CENTERS WHAT I KEEP FOR MYSELF, SON! AN' YE TOOK IT. ONE O' THEM, IT WUD BE ME THAT WAS HEART-BROKEN.

FILLUM FABLES

A Shatted Romance

By Chester Gould

TODAY • A DUMB LOVE
NOW PUPILS • TODAY WE STUDY ABOUT LOVELY LITTLE MAY KAHASTE A FAIR LITTLE FLAPPER GAL WHO FOUND THAT RECONCILING HER PARENTS TO HER BOY CHUM BENNY, WAS A VERY, VERY HARD JOB.
DOLLY DARLING
BUT FATHER • YOU'D LOVE BENNY AS I DO IF YOU KNEW HIM AS I DO • HE'S SO INTELLIGENT
INTELLIGENT BAH! HE'S SO THICK SKULLED HE THINKS CHICKEN STEW IS A DRUNK CHORUS GIRL
BY THE WAY • WHAT'S A 3-LETTER SYNONYM FOR "HEIFER"
WHY A HEIFER IS A COW
HA HA MAMMA • ARE YOU CRAZY
EVERYBODY KNOWS A "HEIFER" IS A HORSE
YOU'RE BOTH WRONG • ANYBODY CAN TELL YOU A "HEIFER" IS A KIND OF GOAT
WELL • WHO SHOULD BOW IN BUT BENNY BALONEY HIMSELF
PORTRAYED BY JACK STRONG
AH HA FOLKSES HOW'S THE LI'L FAMILY TONIGHT
OH HI APRIL SHOWERS
MAY CALLED BOUQUET SHOWERS "CAUSE HE BROUGHT MAY FLOWERS
HA HA • YOUNG FELLOW • IF YOU'RE SO SMART • GIMME A 3-LETTER SYNONYM FOR HEIFER.
REALLY PAPA • I DON'T KNOW A DURN THING ABOUT POULTRY
LATER
THANK GOODNESS I FOUND OUT IN TIME WHOD WANT TO MARRY A FAMILY OF CROSS WORD PUZZLES
CHESTER GOULD

ABIE THE AGENT

One for All All for One

By Hershfield

AFTER ABE'S ENTERTAINMENT IS OVER TONIGHT, LET'S HOLLER FOR "AUTHOR" — IT'LL MAKE HIM FEEL GOOD!!
THANKS HEAVEN THE FINAL CURTAIN IS DOWN AND IT'S ALL OVER — WHEW!!
AUTHOR
AUTHOR
AUTHOR
AUTHOR
AUTHOR
YOU FELLOWS GOT TO COME WITH ME — I AIN'T GOING OUT THERE ALONE AND TAKE THE BLAME
HERSHFIELD

MEDBURY SAYS—

By John P. Medbury

ARABIAN women aren't satisfied with using a little powder and rouge, they're now beginning to paint their ears red and their eyebrows pink.

IT'S nothing any more for a Frenchman to tell his family that he's got a colored wife.

ONE mademoiselle who married an American thought she was being patriotic by painting her three chins red, white and blue.

SHE talked so fast that her jaw waved like a flag.

AND every time her husband raised her money it would drop to half mast.

THE women in Paris are painting their faces so grotesquely that they can come to this country and get jobs standing in front of cigar stores.

FRENCH dames like to appear sophisticated. They paint their nose red so that you can't tell when they're blushing.

PARISIAN wives are wearing pink eyes and American husbands are wearing black ones.

ONE French society woman who hated red visited New York with her face done in yellow. She walked down Broadway and twenty seven pedestrians hailed her. They thought she was a taxicab.

HER nose was painted green and the people mistook it for the meter.

ONE fellow's wife wore so many water colors that he took her face out and had it framed.

SHE visited an art exhibit one afternoon and her face won first prize.

IT'S getting so now that a man can have his automobile re-enamelled, his house kalsomined and his wife painted at the same time.

INSTEAD of going to a beauty parlor, a woman can have her face done over by the hour.

THESE artists are known as exterior decorators.

AFTER he paints your wife's cheeks and forehead he signs his name on her chin.

IF your wife isn't handy around the house you can hang her up

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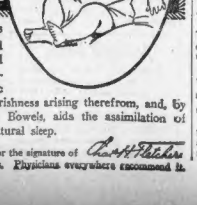

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AND THERE YOU ARE

By Jean Jordan

THE modern version seems to be life, liberty and the pursuit of flappers.

A shoe thrown at a March bride hits just as hard as one hurled in June.

If there is such a throughfare as Easy Street, it is probably far beyond the Golden Gates.

Of course, it's always the other fellow that needs reforming.

ALAS!
Dumb Dora was so very dense
Her beauty was no recompense;
She really thought that pomme de terre
Was something nice from France to wear.

Not half she read she understood,
Her lovely dams seemed made of wood;
Dear Dora really thought elite,
Also au fait, were things to eat.

Woman has been so often told she's an enigma that she's as stuck up as a crossword puzzle.

The pessimist arises to remark that the whole trouble in the Garden of Eden is that Adam fell for what they now call "a pippin."

A kick town is one where the postmaster gets a free correspondence course on local affairs out of the mailbag

Gentle Spring, as usual, is carrying a mustard plaster, a hot water bag, some cough drops and an umbrella.

Sing a song of sixpence,
Pocket full of rye;
John fell down—and now the town
Sniffs twice as it goes by.

on the wall with the rest of the pictures.

JUST because she can't cook it's no sign she wouldn't make a good ornament.

THERE are thousands of art critics who go to Paris every year, and hereafter, instead of a man buying an expensive oil painting, he can marry one.

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BEDTIME STORY

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SCOTTY HAS A NARROW ESCAPE IN TASMANIA

By Foxy Grandpa.

"I'M very anxious to see Tasmania," I said one day when we were in Sidney, Australia.

"Is it a disease?" asked Bobby.

"Anything like that Kleptomania that people get when they can't help stealing things?"

I laughed and then said:

"No, Bobby, Tasmania is the name of an island south of Australia, and full of kangaroos."

"Oh," murmured Bobby, "where did it get its funny name?"

"I'll tell you," I answered.

"Way back in 1603, in Holland, there was a man born by the name of Tasman. And when he grew up he went to sea and became a great navigator and explorer.

"He sailed away around here and discovered New Zealand and the island of Tasmania, which was named for him. Now it belongs to Great Britain and is one of the states of Australia.

At one time it was a penal colony where England sent her criminals."

"I see," said Bobby. "Are we going there and will we see some kangaroos?"

"I think so," I replied, and as we talked, Scotty, our dog who was on the trip with us, gave a loud bark.

"Do you want to go too, do you?" I laughed, giving Scotty a pat.

But Scotty's trip to Tasmania was not the success he had anticipated. It will tell you why.

We took a ship and went to Tasmania, and since towns and cities do not interest us much, we made straight for the inland.

We had only started on our trip through the rough country, which was covered with brush, before we ran into a whole family of kangaroos!

How strange they looked sitting on their tails and hopping about in great leaps.

Scotty took one look at these strange creatures, and before I could stop him he was off through the bush and chasing the largest of all. The others scattered.

"Oh," I cried, "Scotty's a goner, if that big fellow ever gets him."

For I knew that although a kangaroo can most always out-run a dog, if he is cornered he will back up against a tree—to prevent being attacked from the rear—and kick with his powerful hind legs and tear a dog open with the savage claw on his hind foot.

I was sick and started to run as fast as I could after Scotty.

I came out into the open, and there before me stretched a river. There was no use in my going further. I can't compete with a kangaroo or a dog. Perhaps if I had four legs I could.

So I stood on the brow of the hill and watched.

Into the water plunged the kangaroo. And swiftly on his heels plunged Scotty. Such barking you never heard. I held my breath.

The kangaroo did not swim very far, but just treaded water until Scotty caught up with him. Then like a flash the kangaroo was on Scotty. He had him down and ducked him and held him there.

Could Scotty hold out? I was frantic. Then a thought came to me. I whipped out my revolver and shot into the air three times.

The kangaroo, frightened by the shots, let go of Scotty and swam quickly to the other shore.

I hurried down to the riverbank and waited for Scotty to come out. Such a bedraggled, disgusted dog you never saw. He shook himself in a half-hearted way when he crawled up on the bank and, with his tail between his legs, sheepishly trotted off up the hill to Bunny and Bobby.

Bunny told me afterwards that Scotty couldn't understand our interest in strange animals and that as far as he was concerned, he was not interested in kangaroos—even in the Zoo.

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TALK OF THE TOWN

By Dave Sentner

EDDY KETT says that the reason men wear collars is to keep their napkins from slipping.

Nine members of the Ladies' Buzz Saw Sewing Circle had hysterics this afternoon when the Circle held a "silence contest."

Bill Grubb, the skyline philosopher, says there are no tall gates on the Road to the Poorhouse.

Hickory Hoople announced today that he had invented a skid chain for poker chips.

"Name the two big parties in the American system," asked the teacher of the Sophisticated Sera.

"Crossword puzzle and petting," replied Sera.

Mr. Potts, M. V. (married veteran), says that when he got married his wife carried the wedding ring up to the altar for him.

Yeggy Young borrowed Hen Hash's pet woodpecker to drill a safe for him last night.

Buddy Bubbles, the town bootlegger, asserts there are only two kinds of people in this world—customers and strangers.

Every time Kenneth Knoba, the steady theatregoer, gets an aisle seat he wears thimbles on all his toes.

Snoopy Smith, the village police force, makes his prisoners pay if they want to ride in his new patrol wagon. One fellow lost his ticket, so Snoopy put him off at the next

Keenie Femme says that no woman wants to live in a house where there is no scandal.

Misfits.

Othello as a henpecked husband.
Julius Caesar crossing the Delaware.
Marc Anthony with stage fright.
Nero as a fire chief.
Samson as a barber.
Robin Hood as a sheriff.
Sitting Bull as a Marathon runner.
Jesse James as a ribbon department floor walker.

LISTEN, WORLD!

Registered U. S. Patent Office.

By Elsie Robinson

I REMEMBER my first lie very distinctly. This is partly due to the fact that it chafed my tender conscience, but mainly to the fact that it was so much more successful than most of the lies I've told since.

It was about two pieces of chalk, a red piece and a green piece. They were the first pieces of colored chalk I had ever seen and I coveted them exceedingly. Whereupon, being a direct action person even at the age of six, I put them in the pocket of my gingham school apron and told teacher that I hadn't seen them when she presently began to search for them.

I made no bones about this matter. At the age of six I was, when I thought necessary, quite a nifty liar and shoplifter. I make no bones also about the fact that for many, many years thereafter, up to the moment of writing this article in fact, I continued to lie at intervals when I thought it was necessary.

I did not always lie for purely selfish gain. I sometimes lied out of kindness, sometimes out of politeness, and sometimes out of cowardice. But the frank fact is, I lied and I haven't gotten over it.

I'm not saying all this in a boasting way. I regret it as I regret the other failings of a mortal nature. But there it is, and maybe you have the nerve to get up and say you're different. If so, hop to it. I always respect a fellow-craftsman.

The point I'm driving at with these confessions is not the mere fact that I have lied but these obvious lies of which I have told you are so much less despicable than certain others. It wasn't my lie to the other fellow that counted most. IT WAS THE LIE I TOLD TO MYSELF.

The lies I told to the other folk were always feeble, futile things. Sooner or later they always found out. It requires a perfect memory to be a good liar, and my memory is notoriously poor. I'm a dub at the job of fooling the other fellow. But when it comes to fooling myself—

There was that long time when I assured myself that I was a noble, self-sacrificing martyr because I wouldn't rebel against the certain injustice which oppressed me and those I loved. NO, I WOULD ENDURE IT. I spelled it in capital letters to myself. I thought of myself in capital letters. I was sure that the early Christians had nothing on me. Hadn't they suffered in meekness and humility? Sure they had. Well, wasn't I doing the same? So I spoke of myself, with large wet tears of self-pity.

But, as a matter of fact, such wasn't the case at all. I wasn't a martyr. I WAS MERELY A COWARD. I was suffering because I didn't have the gumption to get up and raise a row. Moreover, I was extremely fond of my own comfort. I was sitting pretty in my martyrdom, and I'd be facing some mighty lean days if I rebelled. But did I state these harsh, unpleasant facts to myself?

No indeedy. I invented the martyr myth and lied myself into a halo and a couple wings. The lies I've told to strangers were idle babblings. But that lie which I told to myself for so many years was the very core of viciousness.

Then, again, there were those times when underneath the camouflage of service I've meddled in other people's lives without a scruple, and bossed and bullied them almost into madness. That's a role I play easily. I have one of those large, efficient, feathered personalities people like to lean on.

Sometimes I see it as a Christian should. But often I fall right on the poor dears and smother them with the weight of my own determination. Nothing is my meat. But do I confess that horrid trait to myself? Not on your life. I've got the prettiest little story of a MINISTERING ANGEL to tell myself that you ever heard. And I oughtta be given three months on the municipal rock pile every time I tell it.

There's also my pet illusion that I'm sensitive. Of course, this is partly true. But it's no more true about me than it is about the rest of the humane inhabitating this sphere. I'll acknowledge it now, being in a confidential mood. But I conveniently forget that fact in my normal moments.

That my sensitiveness becomes a rare and lovely flower, absolutely different from all other spiritual shrubbery. I'm the Little Orchid

and you ought to see how well I do it. But the nasty truth is that I'm bad tempered and want attention and don't care how I get it.

Now, don't think for a minute that you're going to go away from the article with the goods on me, and not get incriminated yourself. No, no, dear, I'm not alone in my criminology. What's true of me is also true of YOU. It's true of the whole human race. And it's one of the big reasons why we're still half savages, with a savage heritage of sin and suffering, ignorance and fear. IT'S THE LIES WE TELL TO OURSELVES THAT KEEP US FROM FREEDOM AND JOY—THAT KEEP US FROM THE SPLENDID FULLFILMENT OF MANHOOD.

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RECIPES

How to play a joke on your dinner guest: Serve him his soup in his derby.

To young couples who want to save money: Buy only one theatre seat and let your wife sit on your lap.

How to get ride of a mouse: Stuff up the hole in the kitchen with a piece of Limberger cheese.

If you want to cure yourself of the smoking habit: Spend all your offhours hanging around a gunpowder factory.

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FINANCE

By B. C. FORBES

Do people elsewhere live longer than New Yorkers?

Do financial and business leaders in our largest cities wear out sooner than responsible business men in other communities?

One of our great life insurance companies should be able to compile very enlightening figures in answer to these questions.

Business men, bankers and others from different parts of the country drop in to see me when visiting New York. I have often noticed that they show calmer minds than busy New Yorkers. They seem less nervous, less jumpy, less tense. They give one the impression that they take life as it comes, that they do not worry day by day as to what that day or the next day may bring forth. They carry with them a sort of philosophic air or attitude. Life to them is not feverish.

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Another thing I have noticed is this: Nearly every out-of-town visitor, even though conditions in his section may not be satisfactory, is buoyed up by lighting down in his home town and immovable confidence that, although things may be bad at the moment, brighter days lie not far ahead. Rarely is a despondency shown to throw up hands and moan that everything is careening straight to the dogs.

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Time and time again big men from other parts of the country have said to me, after making their rounds in the financial district and in which ever other section of the city they are chiefly interested in "what's the matter with you fellows here in New York? I never run into such a blue crowd in my life. Every where one of the men I have talked with sees nothing but trouble ahead."

Another line of talk not infrequently runs like this: "Wall Street seems to imagine that the whole country has its eyes fixed on the stock ticker and that people everywhere are as eager as Wall Street is to see whether Steel common goes up an eighth or down an eighth on its next move. Wall Street seems to have the notion that it is the whole works in this country. We regard what we are doing as being far more important than what Wall Street is doing, for, after all, Wall Street doesn't govern us but that we fellows throughout the country do finally govern Wall street. Wall Street itself is leader but a trailer. Wall street, when it functions true to form, is nothing but a mirror."

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I must confess that after spending several hours on several days talking with active Wall Street men, I usually leave with my mind more bewildered. Wall Street intoxicates itself with "mysteries." Something dire or something dazzling always is brewing beneath the surface. That, that or the next piece of news is always about ready to break.

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Again, Wall Street denizens are almost always either ramparantly optimistic or terribly pessimistic. Things are either going to soar to the skies or plunge into the depths. Never does your typical Wall Street devotee tell you that things are likely to move along quietly and normally for several months. No. You are always told to watch out for sensational developments before the stock exchange closes at 3 o'clock or before the end of next day or the end of next week.

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Dry goods merchants and other business men not identified with Wall Street also complain often that they have found so much pessimism in trade circles here that they are glad to get back to the more wholesome atmosphere at home. Or, occasionally, visitors tell you that they have been "fed up with bull talk" since arriving in New York but that they know how things are going throughout the country and that they have refused to load up with mountains of merchandise.

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Which get the more out of life in the long run, big city men whose minds are constantly agitated, or inhabitants of small cities and towns who move along more calmly and philosophically?

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QUOTATIONS ARE FIRM IN FUTURES ON COTTON

Quotations were firm in New York futures on cotton. Prices: March 26.35, up .07; May 25.50, up .07; July 26.78, up .13; October 25.15, up .14; December 26.14, up .14.

IS THE BULL MARKET NEAR ITS END?

By FRANK H. MELOON
Financial Editor.

One of the questions the writer is most frequently asked by investors is whether or not the bull market is near its end.

This question, of course, is purely speculative. No one really knows the answer, whatever may be his pretensions, but a bit of conjecture may be not uninteresting.

The bull market has already had a run of a good many months, but time is a varying element in such markets.

Disregarding mere gossip, both bullish and bearish, it seems reasonable to suppose that stocks are pretty nearly due for a dip that will be so abrupt as to lead many to believe they are in the midst of a bear market. Such a dip would not be surprising to well-informed observers, because the market has had a protracted vertical rise that would make a recession of this sort entirely natural.

And when it is over the writer believes it will be regarded as only a phase of the great Coolidge and Dawes upswing.

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Great preparations are being made for the New England Trade Conference, to be held in Providence April 29-30, under the auspices of the Boston Chamber of Commerce.

Secretary Hoover

Secretary Hoover has assumed the committee on arrangements that the Department of Commerce will cooperate fully in the efforts to make the conference one of the most successful gatherings for the promotion of New England's foreign trade ever held.

S. H. Cross, chief of the European division of the Department of Commerce, and H. A. Butts, assistant chief of the Far Eastern division, are already listed on the conference program. Several experts from the department who have specialized in New England products will attend. C. D. Snow, director of the foreign trade department of the United States Chamber of Commerce will also be present.

The foreign trade committee of the Providence Chamber of Commerce has appointed a special committees on arrangements. Invitations already have been sent to all New England chambers of commerce and allied organizations to participate in the conference. In addition to the formal sessions several informal round-table meetings are being scheduled. All of these meetings will be in charge of experts.

Robert S. Holding, Jr., of the Brown & Sharpe Manufacturing Company, is chairman of the general conference committee.

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Pay little attention to talk about 1926 "highs and lows." Remember the year has been "going" only a few weeks. Judge movements rather from the highs and lows of 1924 and 1925 to date, in combination with those other factors to be taken into consideration.

FARM PRODUCTION FOR PAST YEAR IS GREATER

Department of Agriculture estimates American farms produced $12,404,000,000 last year. Increase $56,000,000 over 1923 on account of higher market values for certain crops. Cereals amounted to $5,220,000,000, or 42.8 per cent. of total, compared with 39.8 per cent in 1923; corn was valued at $2,880,000,000. Cotton at $1,701,000,000 and hay and forage at $1,732,000,000.

BANK STATEMENT TODAY

Bos. Cl.	$7,008,000	Bos. Rel.	$2,068,000
Bos. Rel.	12,000,000	Bos. Cl.	27,000,000
N.Y.Cl.	1,903,000,000	N.Y.Rel.	141,000,000
N.Y.Rel.	101,000,000	N.Y.Cl.	1,002,000,000

NEW YORK STOCKS

2 P.M.

	Open.	High.	Low.	closing
Air Reduction	116¾	118	116¾	118
Ajax Rubber	10⅜	10⅝	10⅜	10⅜
All Ch & Dye	33⅝	33⅝	33⅛	33⅛
Allis C Mfg	80¾	81	80¾	81
Am Ag Chem	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝
Am Ag Ch pf	37⅞	38½	36⅝	38⅞
Am Bosch M	25⅛	27⅝	25⅛	27⅝
Am Can	169⅝	170⅝	168⅝	169⅝
Am Car & Fdy	201	206	201	206
Am Chain Co	23	23	23	23
Am Express	142	142	142	142
Am F P	74⅝	75⅛	73½	73½
Am Ice	84½	84½	84½	84½
Am Intl Corp	23	23	22	23
Am Loco	125½	127⅛	125½	127⅛
Am Radiator	26½	26½	26½	26½
Am Safety R	53¾	53¾	53¾	53¾
Am Ship & C	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛
Am Smelting	55⅛	55⅛	53⅝	55⅛
Am Sugar	61	61¼	61	61¼
Am Sumatra	15	16	15	15
Am T & Tel	133⅛	133⅝	132¾	133¼
Am Tobacco	88⅝	88⅝	88⅛	88⅛
Am Tobacco B	86⅛	86⅛	86⅛	86⅛
Am Water W	46⅝	48¼	46⅝	47¾
Am Woolen	37⅝	38¼	37⅝	38¼
Am Wool pf	80	80¼	80	80¼
Associated Oil	33⅜	32⅞	32⅞	32⅞
Atch T & S F	118⅜	118⅝	118⅛	118⅛
Atlantic Coast L	155⅛	156	155¼	155¼
Atlantic Gulf & WI	25½	25½	25½	25½
Atl G & WI pf	39¾	39¾	39½	39¾
Atl Refining	101¾	103	101¼	103
Austin Nichols	25	25	25	25
Baldwin Loco	117⅛	118	116⅝	118
Balt & Ohio	77	77⅝	77	77⅝
Barnsdall Cl A	23¾	23⅝	23⅜	23⅝
Beth Steel	39¾	40⅛	39¾	40⅛
Bklyn Man Ry	38⅝	38⅝	38⅛	38⅛
Bklyn Un Gas	79	79	79	79
Bkln Cuban	4¼	4¼	4¼	4¼
Briggs Mfg	35	36⅝	35	36⅝
Burr Add M	79	79	79	79
Calif Petr	27⅞	28⅜	27⅞	28⅛
Cal Zinc Lead	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
Can Pacific	145¼	145¾	145¼	145¼
Cen Leather	16⅛	16⅜	16⅛	16⅜
Cent Leath pf	51⅞	51⅞	51⅞	51⅞
Cent Ribbon	40½	40½	39	39
Cerro de Pasco	45¼	46	44⅝	44⅝
Chandler Motor	23	23⅛	22¾	22¾
Chas & Ohio	94¼	94¼	93¾	94¼
Chi M & St P	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
Chi & St P pf	9¼	10¼	9¼	10¼
Chi & Alton pf	17¾	18¼	17¾	18¼
Chi Gt West	10⅝	10⅝	10⅜	10⅝
Chi Gt W pf	24¼	24½	24¼	24¾
Chi & NW	61⅜	62¼	61⅜	61⅜
Chi Pneu Tool	82¾	82¾	82¼	82½
Chi R I	45¾	47⅝	45¾	47
Childs & Co	94¼	94¼	94¼	94¼
Chile Copper	59¾	60⅜	59¾	59¾
Colo Fuel & I	34	35	34	35
Col & South	52	52	52	52
Col Gas & E	54⅝	56⅜	54⅝	55⅝
Com Solv B	131	135	131	135
Consol Gas	75¾	75⅝	75¾	75¾
Con Textile	2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾
Contl Can	61⅜	61⅝	61⅜	61⅝
Contl Motors	8¾	8¾	8⅝	8⅝
Corn Products	39¾	39¾	39¼	39¼
Cuba Cane	13⅞	13⅞	13⅝	13⅝
Cuba Cane pf	58	58	58	58
Cuban-Am Sug	27½	27½	27½	27½
D Boone Mills	3	3	3	3
Davison Chem	32½	33¼	32½	33¼
Del & Hud	132½	132½	132½	132½
Del L & W	132½	132½	132½	132½
Douglas-P	14¼	14¼	14¼	14¼
Dupont d N	138¾	139¾	138⅝	139¾
Eaton Axle	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜
Endicott John	65¼	65¼	64¾	65¼
Erie R R	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾
Erie 1st pf	38¾	38¾	38¼	38¾
Fairbanks M	36⅝	36⅝	36⅝	36⅝
Fairbanks Co	53¾	53¾	53¾	53¾
Fed M & S	16½	16½	16½	16½
Fed M & S pf	52	52	52	52
Fisher Body	61¼	61¾	61¼	61⅝
Fisk Rubber	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝
Fleischmann	75¾	76	75¾	76
Foundation	99¾	99¾	99⅝	99¾
Freeport	31⅛	31¼	31⅛	31¼
Gen Asphalt	45	46⅛	45	46⅛
Gen Baking	126	126	126	126
Gen Electric	256	256	257½	257½
Gen Elec spec	31¼	31¼	31¼	31¼
Gen Motors	69¾	68¾	69¾	69¾
Gen Pet	49¾	49¾	49¼	49¾
Gliddeh	33¾	33¾	33⅜	33⅜
Goodrich Tire	50¾	51⅛	50¾	51⅛
Goodyear T pf	95	95	95	95
Gt North Ore	34¾	34¾	34¾	34¾
Gt North pf	63¾	63¾	63¾	63¾
Gt West Sug	94¾	94¾	94	94
Gt W Mfg	25	25	25	25
Gardner Motor	12	12	12	12
Household Pr	35½	35½	35½	36½
Hudson Motor	41¾	41¾	41¾	41¾
Hupp Motor	14¼	14¼	14¼	14¼
Ill Central	113¾	113¾	113¾	113¾
Independ Oil	23¾	24⅜	23¾	24⅜
Inspiration	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
Intl Agr Corp	9¼	9¼	9¼	9¼
Intrb Rap Tr	17¼	18	16	17
Intl Com Eng	35¾	36⅜	35¾	36⅜
Intl Harvester	109	109¾	108¾	109¾
Intl Mer Mar	31⅜	32	31⅜	32
Intl Mer Ma pf	41¼	42	41¼	42
IntlMotorsRR	23	24	24¼	25¼
Intl Nickel	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
Jordan Motor	43¼	43⅝	43¼	43⅝
Kan City & So	33¾	33⅝	33¾	33⅝
Kayser Julius	53¾	53¾	53¾	53¾
Kennecott Cop	48¼	48⅞	48¼	48⅞
Keystone Tire	2¼	2¼	2¼	2¼
K S Kresge	32	32	31⅞	32
Lehigh Valley	72¾	72¾	72¾	72¾
Lima Loco	64½	64½	64½	64½
Loews Inc	24½	24½	24½	24½
Lorillard	51¼	51¼	51¼	51¼
Lorillard & Co	34	34	34	34
Louis & Nash	110	110	110	110
Louisiana Oil	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾
Ludlum Steel	38	38	36¾	37
Mack Trucks	123¼	124½	122¾	124½
Manhattan E	73¾	73¾	73¾	73¾
Mallinckrodt P	22½	23	22½	23
Manhat Shirt	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾
Manhat E Sup	53⅝	53⅝	53⅜	53⅝
Man El Ry MO	39	39	39	39
Maracaibo Oil	26⅝	27	26⅝	27
Mariano Oil	36¼	36¾	36	36¾
Murray Body	35¼	35½	35¼	35½
Mathieson	60¾	60¾	60¾	60¾
Maxwell Cl A	84	87¾	83½	87¾
Maxwell Cl B	61¼	62¾	61¼	63¾
May Dept Str	101¾	102¾	100¾	102¾
Mex Seabd Oil	13	13	13	13
Miami Copper	13¼	13⅛	13¼	13¼
Middle States Oil	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼
Mo Kan & Tex	32¾	33¼	32¾	33¼
Mo Kan&T pf	80¼	80¼	80¼	80¼
Mo Pacific	85	85¾	85	85¾
Mo Pacific pf	76¾	77	76¾	77
Montgy Ward	42¼	42⅞	42¼	42⅝
Moon Motor	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾
Nat Biscuit	66¼	66¼	66¼	66¼
Nat Lead	146	146	144¾	144¾
Nev Cons Cop	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜
New Or T & M	117	117	117	117
NY Air Brake	45¼	45¼	45¼	45¼
NY Central	115¼	116⅛	115¼	116⅛
NYC & StL	138⅛	138⅝	138⅛	138⅝
N NH & H	30	30¼	29¾	30¼
Norfolk & W	178⅜	178⅝	177⅞	177⅞
North Am	45¼	45¾	45	45
North Am pf	48	48¼	48	48¼
Nor Pacific	63¼	63¾	63¼	63¾
Pac Oil	53¾	54	53¼	54
Packard Mot	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
Pan Am Pet	77	77⅜	77	77⅜
Pan Am Pet B	78¼	79	78	78⅝
Penn Rhd Sil	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Peoples Gas	115⅛	115⅛	115	115
Pere Marq	99	99	99	99
Phila Co	51¾	51¾	51¾	51¾
Phila & R Co	42	42	42	42
Phillips Petrol	37¾	38	37¾	38
Philip Morris	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜
Pierce Ar pf	43	44	43	44
Pierce Oil	3	3	2	2
Pierce Petrol	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
Pitts & W Va	67¼	67¾	67¼	67¼
Pressed St Car	55	55	55	55
Prod & Ref	23½	23½	23⅜	23⅜
Pub Serv NJ	63¾	63¾	63¾	63¾
Pullman Co	132¼	133¾	132¼	133½
Pure Oil	26⅝	26⅝	26¾	26¾
Radio Corp	49½	50¾	49¾	50¼
Ry Steel Spng	124	124	124	124
Ry Cons	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾
Reading	74¼	74¾	74	74
Remington T	45¾	46¼	45¾	46¼
Republic Steel	73¾	73¾	73¾	73¾
Reynolds S	18¾	14	13¾	14
Reynolds T B	73¾	73¾	73¾	73½
Royal Dutch	50	50¼	50	50¼
St Jos Lead	46¾	48	46¾	48
St L & S F	66¾	68¾	66¾	68¼
St L & W	47¾	47¾	47¾	47¾
Savage Arms	77¾	78¼	77¾	78¼
Seabd Air La	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾
Seabd AL pf	38¾	38¾	38¾	38¾
Sears Roe	150¾	151¾	150¾	151¾
Shattuck Ariz	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾
Shell Union	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾
Simms Petrol	20¼	20¼	20¼	20¼
Simms Petrol	20¼	20¼	20¼	20¼
Skelly Oil	22¾	23	22¾	23
Sloss Sh S & I	67¾	67¾	67¾	67¾
Southern Pac	101	101¼	100¾	101¼
Southern Ry	84¾	85¾	84¾	85¾
Std Gas & El	44	44	44	44
Std Oil Calif	58¾	58¾	58¾	58¾
Std Oil NJ	40¾	40¾	40¾	40¾
Std Pl Glass	11¼	11¼	11¼	11¼
Stewart-W Sp	57¾	57¾	57¾	57¾
Studebaker	43¾	43¾	43¾	43¾
Superior Oil	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
Symington	17	17	17	17
Tenn C & C	8	8	8	8
Texas Co	44	44¼	44	44¼
Tex Gulf Sul	108	109	107⅝	108¼
Tex P C & Oil	14⅜	15	14⅜	15⅛
Texas Pac RR	50¼	51¼	50¼	51¼
Timken R B	38⅜	38⅜	38⅛	38⅜
Tob Prod	73	73½	73	73½
Transcont Oil	4¼	4¼	4¼	4⅜
Union Pac	140½	141	140½	141
Union Tank C	125	126	125	125
Un Alloy Steel	27	27	27	27
Un Cigar Sto	65¾	65¾	65¾	65¾
Un Drug	115⅝	115⅝	115⅛	115⅝
Un Fruit	208	208	208	208
Univ Pipe	24	25	24	24⅝
U S C I Pipe	181	185	181	182
Univ Pipe pf	76¾	76¾	76¾	76¾
U S Distrib	31¼	31¼	31¼	31½
U S Ind Alc	77¼	78¼	76¾	78¼
U S Rity & I	116	116⅞	116	116⅞
U S Rubber	35¼	35¾	35¼	35¾
U S Rub 1st	84¼	85	84¼	85
U S Steel	118	118¾	117⅞	118¼
Utah Sec	65	65⅞	65	65⅞
Vanadium	26¼	26¼	26¼	26¼
Van Raal	14¼	14¼	14¼	14¼
Vivaudou	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾
Wabash RR	24¾	24¾	24¼	24¾
Wabash pf	54¼	54¼	54¼	54¼
Western Md	12¼	12¾	12¼	12¾
Westn Md 2 pf	17	17	17	17
Western Pac	40¼	40¼	40¼	40¾
Westg El & M	85¾	86¼	85¾	86¼
West Penn Co	113¼	113¾	113¼	113¾
Western Un T	117¾	118	117¾	118
Weston El A	61¾	62¼	61¾	61¾
Wh & L E 7 pf	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
White Eagle O	26½	26½	26½	26½
White Motor	59¾	59¾	59¾	59¾
Wickwire Sp	15	15	15	15
Willys-Over	11¾	12	11¾	12
Willys-Over pf	84¾	85¾	84	85¾
Wilson & Co	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾
Wilson & Co pf	30½	30½	30½	30½
Woolworth	114¾	115	114¾	115
Worthington	48¼	49¾	48¼	48¾
Worthington pf	70¾	70¾	70¾	70¾
Wright Aero	18	18⅛	18	18⅛

Boston Stocks

BOSTON PRICES 2 P. M.

	Change
Amoskeag	0.00
Arca Consol	1⅛ — ⅝
Bingham	30½ — ½
Boston & Maine	37 — ¼
Boston & Albany	122 — ½
Boston & Maine Rights	1⅝ — ⅛
Calumet & Hecla	34¾ — ¼
Copper Range	21⅝ — ⅜
Dominion Textile	0.00
Dwight Manufacturing	200 — 10
Edison Electric Illuminating	61¾ — ¼
Hancock Consolidated	0.00
Hardy Coal	61¾ — ¼
Howe Scale	0.00
Kennecott	127⅝ — ⅜
Loew's Theatres	24¾ — ⅛
Mass Gas	0.00
Mergenthaler	69
Mex Petroleum	0.00
N E Power pf	90
Nat Leather	0.00
New Haven	30¾ — ¼
New River pf	0.00
Old Colony	0.00
Pond O Pee	29½ — ½
Quincy	0.00
Reece Button Hole	22 — ½
Rockwood	0.00
Torrington	37½ — ¼
U S Smelting	54¾ — ¼
Utah Apex	34¾ — ¼
Utah Consol	0.00
Warren Bros	32½

GRAINS ARE IRREGULAR IN CHICAGO DEALINGS

Grains were irregular in Chicago dealings. Wheat was ¼ cent up to ¼ off; corn, ¾ to ⅝ off; oats, ⅛ up to ⅛ off. Prices: Wheat, May 1.70 to 1.70⅛, July 1.48⅜ to 1.49, September 1.36 to 1.36⅛; corn, May 1.13⅝ to 1.13⅝, July 1.16 to 1.16⅛, September 1.16 to 1.16⅛; oats, May 45⅝ to 45⅝, September 47⅛ to 47¼.

Foreign Exchanges

Sterling	4.78	11	4.84
France (Franc)	.0626	26-32	4.8660
France (Belgium)	.0626	.0626⅛	.1980
Italy	.0466	.0467	.1980
Holland	.3966	.3968	.4020
German mark	.0241	.0242	.0260
Czecho-Slov	.0296⅝	.0297	.0299
Austria	.0296⅝	.0298⅛	.0300
Swiss francs	.1929	.1927½	.1980
Spain (peseta)	.1427½	.1427½	.1980
Norwegian krone	.1166	.1166	.1980
Danish krone	.1818	.1818	.2000
Canadian dollar	.99	28-32	99
Argentine (peso)	.3902	.3902	.4000

MANY STOCKS UP 2 OR MORE POINTS

Strong undertone displayed by the New York stock market during the morning suggested urgent liquidation had been completed, at least temporarily, and that bear traders were not disposed to extend their commitments at current levels.

Reports that brokers' loans had declined $300,000,000 in the last few weeks tended temporarily to curb bearish sentiment. Trading was rather dull on the rally.

Official assurance that no receivership of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company was contemplated brought about a sharp rally in the securities in which it is interested. Manhattan guaranteed jumping 11 points, the modified guaranteed 4, and Interborough common 3.

Motor and accessory shares, independent steels and oils also developed several points of strength.

Among the dozen or so stocks to sell 2 points or more above Monday's final quotations were American Can, Associated Dry Goods, American Locomotive, Savage Arms, Columbia Gas, Maxwell Motors A, Central Leather preferred and American Agricultural preferred.

Call money renewed at 3½ per cent.

American Woolen preferred was up a full point at 80 in Boston Stock Exchange trading. Lower quotations fered gains, but were mostly for fractions only.

WARMER WEATHER NEEDED FOR GARDEN TOOL SALES

New York, March 24—In its weekly hardware market summary, Hardware Age will say tomorrow:

"Uncertain weather is hampering somewhat the expected movement of general Spring hardware. Poultry netting, screen wire and paints are all very active, but garden tools are only beginning to move in small quantities. It is felt that a continued stretch of three or four days warm. Spring-like days will stimulate considerably the sale of Spring goods.

"Collections are fairly good, and staple lines are moving steadily. There are very few price changes being made, and it is felt that there does not anticipate very many serious revisions in the cost of goods. Prices generally are very firm. The average retail stocks appear well assorted and not very heavy."

State Street Notes

LUDLOW, VT., HAS extended to 2 p. m., April 14, date for receiving bids for $130,000 4¾ per cent. refunding bonds, in lieu of April 7.

ATTLEBORO, MASS., will receive bids until 11 a. m. March 27, for purchase at discount of $75,000 loan, payable November 20.

BROOKLINE has awarded to First National Bank, at 3.82 per cent. discount, $240,000 loan, payable October 29.

FAIRBANKS Co. reports for 1924 deficit after charges of $78,314 as compared with deficit in 1923 of $294,481.

Wall Street Gossip

PRESIDENT BUDD of Great Northern Railway declares his road still favors consolidation with Burlington and Northern Pacific.

H. E. BYRAM, Mark W. Potter and Edward J. Brundage, receivers for Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, say receivership will have no adverse effect on road's service.

WESTERN ELECTRIC earned $16.79 a share on 5,000,000 common shares in 1924 against $14.38 a share in 1923.

MAY DEPARTMENT Stores earned $10.64 a share on common stock for year ended January 31, 1925, against $12.99 a share in preceding year.

UNOFFICIAL reports say earnings of Harland Oil for first quarter of 1925 will show marked improvement over last year, reflecting higher prices for crude.

HEAVY SMELTING STEEL scrap is quoted in Youngstown district at $20 a ton, advance of $1.50 a ton from present low.

NEW YORK CENTRAL condensed statement for 1924 shows corporate surplus of $142,700,000, increase of $19,500,000 over 1923.

ASSOCIATED GAS & Electric Co. will spend approximately $5,000,000 in new construction during early part of this year.

OFFICIAL DENIAL that the North American Company is planning to bid for the lease of the Philadelphia gas works is made by President F. L. Dame.

MEETING of American Can directors will not be held until next Tuesday.

Fall River Issues

(Quoted by George H. Nye & Sons)

	Capital	Bid	Ask.
American Linen	1,000,000	85	
Arkwright Mills	1,000,000		85
Barnard Mfg. Co.	1,000,000	90	
Border City Mfg. Co.	1,800,000		90
Bourne Mills	1,000,000	90	
Chace Mills	1,200,000		85
Charlton Mills	1,200,000	90	
Cornell Mills	800,000	110	
Davol Mills	2,500,000		107
Durfee Mills	1,500,000		90
Fall River Mills	2,000,000		85
Granite Mills	1,250,000		75
Globe Yarn Mills	1,000,000		90
Laurel Lake Mills	1,000,000		85
Lincoln Mfg. Co.	2,000,000		90
Luther Mfg. Co.	500,000		90
Metacomet Mills	1,000,000		85
Merchants Mfg. Co.	1,500,000		100
Montaup Mills	800,000		75
Osborn Mills	750,000	70	
Pocasset Mfg. Co.	500,000		90
Pilgrim Mills (Cons.)	700,000		85
Pocasset Mfg. Co.	1,200,000		90
Rich. Borden Mfg. Co.	1,000,000		90
Sagamore Mfg. Co.	1,200,000		90
Seaconnet Mills	1,200,000		90
Shove Mills	1,000,000		90
Stafford Mfg. Co.	1,000,000	110	
Stevens Mfg. Co.	800,000		90
Tetan Cotton Mfg. Co.	1,200,000	105	
Wampanoag Mills	1,000,000		90
Westcott Mills	500,000		90

$579,830,000 IS ELECTRICAL 1925 BUDGET

Electric central-station budgets authorized for new construction on generating, transmission and distribution systems in the United States for 1925 total $579,830,000, Electrical World reports.

Of the total sum, $168,780,000, or 29 per cent., will be expended for steam-electric plants, $96,760,000, or 16.6 per cent., for hydro-electric plants; $115,400,000 for transmission systems and $199,920,000 for distribution systems.

The expenditure totals disclose three outstanding facts, the electrical paper reports, the first of which is that more than one-third of the total will be for extensions to distribution systems, a figure greatly in excess of any other construction item. Such a segregation of the nation's electrical construction budget, the report shows, indicates a new alignment in central-station operations.

"Prior to this year," Electrical World further reports, "the expenditure for steam-electric generating plants has always been the leader in point of central-station expension, followed by the value of distribution line extensions.

"With 1925, however, the industry's expenditure for steam-electric plants falls about $31,000,000 below the sum to be spent on distribution systems.

"Two inferences may be drawn from these apparently changed conditions: First, the record additions made to the steam-electric plants in the past year were such as to bring the installed generator rating of the country to such a figure as to carry the additional load which is to be expected by the companies during 1925, or, second, through interconnection and mergers of company systems, the industry has arrived at the point where, through the operations of the super-power type of systems, additional power is available which calls for increased attention to the distribution of that power to the ultimate consumer. If this latter conclusion is correct, then the industry has reached a new milestone of its development."

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Mrs. Colman Levin (bottom, photo by Bachrach), president; Mrs. Emil Friedman (centre), treasurer, and Mrs. J. Schneider (top), chairman of the Ladies' Helping Hand Auxiliary to the Home for Jewish Children, are working hard to assure the success of the cabaret supper and dance to be held in Hotel Somerset a week from tonight. Eddie Cantor and Mary Eaton are the artical folks who are assisting.

STAGE STARS TO LEAD GRAND MARCH

Unlike the ordinary run of dances, the cabaret, supper and dance to be held in the Hotel Somerset March 31 by the Ladies' Helping Hand Auxiliary to the Home for Jewish Children, will ring with gayety and brightness until three o'clock in the morning. And the surprises in store is the intimacy with the stage stars in town which those in attendance will be afforded.

Eddie Cantor will be master of ceremonies. The charming Mary Eaton will also be on hand. The receipts will be used for the Cottage Fund to help build a cottage for the older girls of the Jewish Home. Eddie Cantor plans to do for this Boston affair what he did for New York Jewish Charity. In the march, he and Miss Eaton will lead.

The affair is in charge of Mrs. Colman Levin, president; Mrs. J. Schneider, chairman; J. Bennett, assistant chairman; Mrs. Emil Friedman, treasurer; Mrs. S. H. Cohen, financial secretary; Mrs. M. Keezer, corresponding secretary; Mrs. M. L. Noilman, and Mrs. H. Werner, program.

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A full house attended the benefit show at the Grand Opera House last night, to see Julius Nathanson and his company present "Home, Sweet Home." The proceeds will go to the Roxbury Hebrew Free School.

In charge of the success were the officers of the Congregation Shara Tiffilo: S. Simons, president; B. Kaplan, vice-president; J. Freeman, secretary; Mrs. S. H. Cohen, financial secretary; Mrs. M. Keezer, corresponding secretary; Mrs. M. L. Noilman, and Mrs. H. Werner, program.

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At the meeting of the College Club of Temple Israel, Commonwealth avenue, to be held in the vestry tonight, the main part of the session will be given over to a debate in which the question that "jury service should be made compulsory for women" will be discussed. Myron Silbert, chairman of the debating committee, is in charge. There will be a musical program to follow.

Plans have already been completed by Mr. Shuffre, chairman of the social committee, for the College Club theatre party to occupy the entire orchestra floor of the Copley Theatre on March 31. "Captain Brass" will be given.

Tonight Rabbi Wolk, director and advisor of the club, will meet with the nominating committee to make plans for the election of officers to be held the first meeting in May.

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Of tremendous interest to Cambridge Jews was the meeting held at the Hebrew Free School, No. 178 Elm street, where a Jewish Welfare League was organized.

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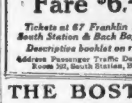

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EAGLE—In South Boston, March 23, Catherine R. (dressser) Eagle, beloved wife of Richard J. Eagle.

Funeral from her residence, 584 East Fifth st., Wednesday, March 25, at 8 o'clock. Solemn requiem high mass at Gate of Heaven Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends kindly invited.

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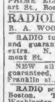

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The Big Hole Near Japan

The Japanese Are a Pluucky Nation

The deepest hole in the great Pacific Ocean. The black spot shows it. This explains the earthquakes that menace Japan, where men live on the edge of an ocean chasm seven miles deep.

This picture shows the deepest hole anywhere in the oceans that cover three-quarters of the earth's surface.

This drawing, made by the learned Scriven Bolton, F. R. S. A., F. R. A. S., etc., and taken from the Illustrated London News, shows at a glance why Japan lives in constant dread of destructive earthquakes and is visited by them so often.

The Japanese are a brave, energetic nation, and it takes such a nation to build, rebuild and carry on courageously the national life after repeated earthquakes—worse than a great war.

This picture shows the situation clearly. In the centre you see a dark patch, and there is the deepest hole in the ocean. Just to the north, perilously near the edge of the dreadful chasm, you see marked out in white the little islands that make up the Japanese Empire.

You can easily understand how a shifting in soil, a landslide on the side of this deep hole underneath the water of the ocean, letting down part of the support that holds up the Japanese islands, causes shrinkages and shakings that destroy houses and send terror into the souls of men and women.

The marvelous thing is that the islands of Japan maintain their position on the edge of this deep pit. Think of an earth whirling around at the rate of a thousand miles an hour, the terrific pressure of the waters of the ocean, the power of volcanoes below, all the other overwhelming and dreadful forces of nature, and you wonder that the Japanese islands and the Japanese people have for so long been able to maintain their positions above the surface of the water, and especially that the Japanese people have for so long been able to maintain their courage.

When you see this picture you understand why the Japanese should desire, for as many of them as possible, to move across the Pacific Ocean and settle on OUR Western coast, on lands of maximum fertility in a nation possessing the world's greatest wealth.

You sympathize with the feelings of the Japanese, and admire their courage, living at the edge of a hole so deep that you could put the giant Mount Everest at the bottom of the hole and have two miles of water above the top of it.

Nevertheless you feel that this country must be kept for those that now possess it, since the races of Japan and the United States cannot mix, and the people of this nation will not permit the mixture.

You see in the picture to the northeast the solid lands of Asia. Millions of acres of land are there, uncultivated. Millions of other acres that skill, courage and scientific knowledge and energy, such as the Japanese possess, can be made fertile.

Each race to its own continent, the Asiatics to Asia, the Europeans to Europe, and the WHITE AMERICANS TO THE AMERICAN CONTINENT.

The St. Paul Trick

The railroads, valuing their properties, tell you how many BILLIONS they are worth. But if you should ask high finance to BUY any of the railroads for what they are said to be worth you wouldn't find a customer.

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And the little fools that buy such stocks will lose about FIVE HUNDRED MILLION DOLLARS of good money.

If the road HAD the value that its owners or the Interstate Commerce Commission say it has, wouldn't the bankers lend it a few millions to keep it afloat?

St. Paul Empties the Bag -:- By T. E. Powers

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MRS. SOLOMON SAYS

By HELEN ROWLAND

My Daughter, dost thou yearn for an ardent lover?

Dost thou sigh for a kiss that is flavored with enthusiasm rather than with ennui and with sentiment rather than with audacity?

Then, I charge thee waste not thy time upon a youth whose years are at the spring, for his emotions are unripened.

Helen Rowland

But the heart of a man in the mid-forties is mellowed, and his wooing is as the first flush of Indian Summer, exceeding glowing!

Go to. Who is so old, who is so wise, who is so blase as a youth of twenty-two, that carryeth a pocket flask, driveth a racing car, and sporteth a coon-skin coat?

Behold, he hath petted his flappers—and found them tiresome.

He hath dallied with chorus girls—and found them expensive.

He hath pursued a widow—and found her out.

All their blandishments leave him cold, and their wiles are as stimulating as canned soup.

Yea, he is SO world-weary!

For he hath written himself down "Cynic," and, in his philosophy, all sentiment is obsolete, all love is biological, all women are "trappers," and all marriage is boredom!

But, a man in the mid-forties delighteth in a new romance as a small boy in a new game!

And a sentimental adventure is unto him as exciting as a dime novel.

Yea, his love-making is more convincing than a campaign speech—and headier than old wine!

For he still cherisheth his illusions, but his egotism hath fallen from him. He still holdeth to his youthful ideals, and his cynicism hath departed with his waistline.

He still talketh of "mental companionship" and of "spiritual understanding"—but his kisses have not lost their fervor, nor his caresses their enthusiasm.

He still believeth a woman's flatteries, and receiveth her praises with thankfulness. He is SO grateful.

He still hath faith that God made women for Man's delight, and that to LOVE a woman is not a sign of paresis!

Therefore, my Daughter, if thou seekest a THRILLING wooer, waste not thy days upon a callow youth. But set thine heart upon a man in the flush of Indian Summer, yea, even in the mid-forties!

For, verily, he is the last of his species—an Impressionable Man!

HELAIT.

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WORDS OF THE WISE MEN

Do the duty that lies nearest you, which you know to be a duty! The second duty will already be clearer.
—Carlyle.

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We think according to nature. We speak according to rules, but we act according to custom.
—Bacon.

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To be conscious that you are ignorant is a great step to knowledge.
—Disraeli.

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To manage men one ought to have a sharp mind in a velvet sheaths.
—George Eliot.

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Good and evil we know in the field of this world grow up together almost inseparably.
—Milton.

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Life is a long lesson in humility.
—J. M. Barry.

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A good cause needs not to be patroned by passion, but can sustain itself upon a temperate dispute.
—Sir Thomas Browne.

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Who hears music feels his solitude peopled at once.
—Browning.

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Honor and shame from no condition rise,
Act well your part: there all the honor lies.
—Pope.

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The sun finds its way into palaces and sewers alike, yet it is not polluted.
—Bacon.

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Night brings out stars as sorrows show us truths.
—Bailey.

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It is not given to the human intellect to expand itself widely in all directions at once, and to be at the same time gigantic and well-proportioned.
—Macaulay.

THE HELPING HAND

Letters Not Answered Personally. No Attention Paid to Telephone Calls or Anonymous Letters. No Names Published.

Crippie in Need

Helping Hand Editor:

I am crippled and unable to work. During my sickness have made some very good pastel pictures (considered good by artists). Will some kind readers buy one or more of these to help me support myself. They will not fade and would be very dainty framed. I shall be happy to sell all and make more.
J. G.

Big Doctors' Bill

Helping Hand Editor:

My five children, boys 17, 15, 14 and 7 and girl 8 all need clothing badly. I have been to the hospital five times and must go again. I would like a bathrobe and night gowns, size 46 or 48. My husband is a very hard working man, but it takes most of his wages, which are small, for doctors' bills. Anything will be acceptable and appreciated.
EDNA K.

Children Need Clothes

Helping Hand Editor:

My girls, 14, 13, 12, 8, 7 and 5 years old, and baby girl 3 weeks, and boy 4, are all in need of clothing and shoes. I need housedresses and dress to go out in as I have nothing to wear size 36 or 38. My boy, 17, needs shoes, size 11½ or 8, and a suit 34 or 36. He wants to go through High School. My husband needs a suit 46 or 48. I can make over anything. I would love some patchwork, as I want to make some quilts. We have had lots of sickness and my husband only works three days a week.
MRS. F. E. T.

Others in Need

Mrs. H. F., husband out of employment—boys, 8 and 11, need underwear, suits and shoes, sizes 11 and 8. Girls, 10 and 15, need Spring coats, dresses, underwear and shoes, size 13½ and 5. Husband needs shoes, size 8, and she needs dress and coat, size 42, and shoes, size 6.

Mrs. Anna W., a helpless cripple for seven years, has hoped and prayed that sometime she might have a wheel chair, but has been unable to buy one. Won't some kind reader put a ray of sunshine into her life?

Mrs. Frank B., mother of eight, boys 15, 4, 3 (twin) and girls 14, 11, 8 and 2 (twin) years and baby nine months, would appreciate clothing for them and a carriage and bed for the baby.

Clara, invalid girl of 13, would like a banjo to help pass away the time when brothers and sisters are in school, and some music to go with it.

Mrs. W. R. D. appeals for job for husband as janitor or caretaker of estate or apartment. Has been out of work ten weeks and has four little ones.

Mrs. C. N. would appreciate some baby clothes and clothes for herself, size 38 or 40.

Mrs. M. D. I., husband sick, writes they are destitute for clothes and shoes. Boys are 13 and 5 years old, girl 4 and baby 7 months. She takes size 42, shoe 6. Can make over.

Mrs. E. C., mother of six children, is badly in need of a twin carriage or stroller. Her twins have been out only once. Husband without steady work and impossible to buy one.

THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

By Aline Michaelis

If it were Springtime ever, with grace of song and bud, if roses ended never and life stayed thus at flood, how glad would be the going, untouched by fear of time, with kind winds ever blowing a symphony sublime! And yet, delight unending might cease to be delight; night's dusky wings descending make morning's dawn more bright, and who can say that sorrow plays not a needed role? Sad days teach man to borrow fresh zeal to reach his goal. If it were Springtime ever and youth were never done, if roses bloomed forever unchanging in the sun, if all were song and sweetness forever and a day, if beauty lost its fleetness its charm would pass away. So, sowing time and reaping, a time for toil and rest, a time for song and weeping, for sun and shade are best.

NOTHING TO DO THEN BUT FIGHT

By DR. FRANK CRANE

BERNARD SHAW aptly says that when once war breaks out the inhabitants of a country "have nothing to do but fight."

That is perfectly true.

There is no time to discuss the merits of war when once war is declared. There is no chance to express your individual opinion.

If you are going to be a pacifist it must be between wars.

If you are going to express your own opinion and criticise your government it must be between wars.

No matter how it may be in time of peace, certainly in time of war it is "my country right or wrong—my country."

It is the same with peace-making agencies.

If there is anything done toward preventing war it must be done when there is no war. Then only peoples are in the proper frame of mind to receive suggestions and to argue intelligently.

When once war breaks out there is such an outburst of patriotism and the people are so inflamed by hate that they are unable to see reason.

Some years have now elapsed since the end of the Great War and an American general has just been able to acknowledge that the Germans were as brave as we were and as honest.

Cannon may be the supreme argument of kings, but they are not the argument of democracy. Democracy argues between cannonades.

War not only disturbs and destroys peoples, it not only demolishes property and devastates fields, but it has an effect on the minds of the people and on their hearts. For a long time it disorders their thinking and they are unable to see clearly or to feel justly.

It will be a long time before conditions are such in Germany and France that French and German can think sanely each about the other.

When once war breaks out a man must go with his fellows. Then he realizes that he is no greater than the most of his countrymen and whatever his individual convictions he must adopt theirs. If he does not do it his country will make him do it.

He must either go out and shoot the enemy and get shot by him, or else stand up against the wall and himself be shot by his fellow citizens.

War is a triumph of intolerance, narrowness and intense feeling. It will have no differences of opinion. Its main argument is that of force and we must all bow to it.

Therefore if we are going to bring to bear upon different questions reason and intelligence, it must be between wars. Once war breaks out there is no hope.

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DIFFERENT TRAITS IN ANIMAL SEXES

By Garrett P. Serviss

THE great majority of animals are divided into two separate sexes. But the sexes are distinguished by two sorts of characters—primary characters and secondary characters.

The primary characters are those which are essential to reproduction; the secondary characters are peculiarities of appearance, ornament, conduct, etc., some of which are confined to the members of each sex, while others are typical of the members of the opposite sex.

Thus, in the human family, women are distinguishable from men not only by the primary sex characters, but also by smaller bones, more delicate features and complexion, finer and smoother textures of skin, softer and rounder outlines, longer and generally finer hair without facial hirsuteness; less muscularity, inferior strength, etc.; in sum, by a fusion of physical characters whose general effect is more easily felt than defined.

These react upon the inner nature so that the conduct and bearing of a woman and her outlook upon the world, are strikingly different from those of a man. All these are secondary characters in the sense of art.

In some of the lower animals the secondary characters are much more pronounced in the bodily appearance than with humans. The mane of the lion compared with the unadorned head of the bonase, and the conspicuous comb of the cock are examples, though more striking ones may be found among species of birds in which the males are far more beautiful in form and adornment than the females, evidently for the sake of sexual attractiveness.

In a broad way it may be said that throughout the higher animal realm maleness and femaleness of appearance, bearing and contrasted and plainly discernible, as the result of secondary sex characters. It is to be seen among dogs, horses and all familiar animals in varying degree.

Now, recent experiments made at the University of Chicago, in the laboratory of Professor F. R. Lillie, seem to have proved that, by removal at an early age (from six weeks to six months) of certain glands that govern the primary sex characters, lions may be so far dranaformed as to behave henceforth in the manner of roosters, and, more than that, to grow spurs, male plumage and combs resembling those characteristic of the cocks. Many of them also crow regularly.

A report on the subject by Mr. L. V. Domm says that "Other birds in the pen regard them as males, and when a strange cock is introduced they fight as would other cocks, very frequently assuming the initiative, and some of them have been observed to come off victorious in such a combat."

But he adds that "In some of our cases individuals which have assumed more or less complete male characters as concerns head furnishings, plumage and spurs are reverting toward the female type as shown by the female type of plumage reappearing."

All this is curious and very interesting, but of course it is far from suggesting a change from one sex to the other, since it merely affects the secondary characters, and does that only by the destruction of the fundamental unit that produces the primary, and real, distinction between the sexes.

It might not be safe to use it as an argument to show that science confirms the Bible account of the secondary creation of Eve from Adam's rib, because it has not yet been shown whether a similar operation would not cause a rooster to become an imitation hen. There are reasons for thinking it would.

In the vegetable kingdom sex separation is largely dispensed with, and from our viewpoint we can see no reason to regret the fact; but who could regard with equanimity a wiping out of sex in the human realm?

For, consider how the contrast of the sexes has colored, guided and made passionate the whole course of history.

Could a monoclous humanity ever have risen above the level of the brutes? What stimulus to effort, what appreciation of beauty, could exist in a world deprived of the difference of sex?

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It might be a good thing for you to talk with them.

They may have principles of economy that you would do well to learn.

It may be embarrassing to you to acknowledge that you are not as good a financier, but forget the self abasement in making your inquiry and try to find out their secret of doing more with a dollar than you can.

Perhaps you are not careful enough with the dimes, the quarters and half dollars.

You have always said that it must be that your friends are willing to dress and live as you would not, but you are beginning to doubt that as you learn more about their methods and find that their standards are as high as yours.

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